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## GOLF CONTESTS IN BRITAIN.

### Hagen is Final at Leeds.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 18.  
At Leeds in the third round of the golf competition Jolly beat Falkner at the twentieth hole. Mackenzie beat Duncan 2 and 1. Hagen beat Havers at the nineteenth hole. Sarazen beat Ockendon by 3 and 5. In the semi-final Hagen beat Sarazen by 3 and 1, and Jolly beat Mackenzie by 3 and 1. Hagen and Sarazen gave a worthy exhibition. Sarazen took the lead at the second hole but Hagen squared at the seventh and was one up at the tenth, which led him to increase to two at the twelfth. He was out of bounds at the thirteenth, which he lost. The fourteenth and fifteenth were halved, Hagen taking the sixteenth and seventeenth for the match.

### Walker International Trophy.

London, May 18.  
The first contest in Britain for the Walker International amateur golf trophy began at St. Andrews to-day. The 1922 match was played in the United States, the Americans winning. America waived the right to defend the title in her own country, and has sent a strong team to defend it here. Britain has so far won the foursomes by 3 matches to one. Eight singles matches will be played to-morrow.

In the foursomes, Wethered and Tolley beat Quimet and Sweetser, 6 and 5. The Englishmen were four up on the first round. Wethered started off again by holing a ten yarder, making five up, and became six up at the fourth hole. Thereafter he was content to hang on the lead. Holderness and Hope beat Rotan and Herron by one hole. The Englishmen were six down at the sixth hole in the second round, but with a succession of brilliant shots reduced the lead and squared it at the fifteenth. They halved the sixteenth and seventeenth and won the eighteenth. Wilson and Murray beat Johnsons and Neville, 4 and 3. In this match the Englishmen were three up in the first round, and turned six up in the second; the Americans improved, but could not wipe off the arrears. Gardner and Marston beat Harris and Hooman, 7 and 6. The Britishers were five down in the first round, and turned seven down in the second, the Americans halving the next three.

## MR. BONAR LAW LOSES HIS VOICE.

### Anxiety As to the Future.

London May 18.  
Harley Street specialists will visit Mr. Bonar Law, who is spending a few days in Paris following a stay at Aix-les-Bains. There is increased anxiety regarding his health, and his political future. His general health is very satisfactory but reports agree that his voice has very little improved. It is believed the specialists have advised a considerable extension of his holiday, but hitherto there is no indication of the Premier's plans. The Paris Press states that the loss of his voice is so complete that he has been obliged to decline M. Poincare's invitation to luncheon.

Paris, May 18.  
Mr. Bonar Law has decided not to issue any statement at present regarding his health or future plans, as he considers such action might later lead to the issue of endless dementis.

## BANQUE INDUSTRIELLE INTERPELLATION.

### Storm of Unparliamentary Epithets.

Paris, May 18.  
There were stormy scenes in the Chamber yesterday evening when the Royalist, M. Ybarnegaray, raised the question of his long delayed interpellation relative to the Banque Industrielle de Chine. The Ex-Premier Briand urged that there was no expediency for discussing the question, which would shortly be considered in the law courts. The Royalist, M. Daudet, retorted that M. Briand feared the interpellation because he was politically compromised. A storm thereupon broke, MM. Briand and Daudet fiercely exchanging unparliamentary epithets, until the Minister for Justice intervened. The Chamber finally voted by 376 to 140 in favour of a postponement of the interpellation sine die.

## BELGIAN STATE WORKERS ON STRIKE.

### Railway Services Held Up.

London, May 18.  
The effects of the recent strike of railwaymen and postal workers and other State employees in Belgium is spreading. The action of the Government in calling up all the railway, telegraph, telephone and postal workers belonging to the 1915-1922 classes has been challenged in the Chamber, which eventually voted confidence in the Government by an overwhelming majority, but the Socialists abstained from voting. A Brussels message now reports that the strike is interfering with international traffic, for example the Ostend-Constantinople train has been stopped at Jemelle, and the Constantinople-Ostend express had been held up at Arion.

## RATIFICATION OF NAVAL PACT.

### Questions in British Parliament.

London, May 18.  
In the House of Commons, replying to questions, Mr. Baldwin said the Government would consider it premature to consider an extension of the scope of the Washington naval treaty until it had been ratified by all the original signatories. He did not think anything would be gained by making representations to France with regard to the effect of the delay in ratification. There was no reason to believe that France would not ratify the treaty.

## MRS. ELLIS'S MURDERERS FLEE TO AFGHANISTAN.

Simla, May 18.  
The murderers of Mrs. Ellis at Kohat have taken refuge in Afghanistan, under pressure from Afridi leaders.

## "SALESMAN SAM."

### Our New Saturday Feature.

With to-day's issue of the *Telegraph* we commence a new Saturday feature, introducing to the public "Salesman Sam," who will be seen in a series of funny incidents on Page 10. Every Saturday, readers will be able to follow the doings of this unconventional shopkeeper, whose antics, we are sure, will give them considerable amusement. Attention is also drawn to the fact that "The Human Zoo" will be found on Page 9 to-day.

## CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

### Twenty-two Prisoners for Trial.

The May Criminal Sessions commence on Tuesday. There are fourteen cases and twenty-two prisoners to come before the Court. The list includes three charges of unlawful arms possession, two bribery cases, charges of burglary, robbery, receiving stolen goods, wounding and assault. Two accused will stand their trial for child stealing and one man has to answer a charge of rape.

## U.S. AND ASIATIC IMMIGRANTS.

### Japanese Ambassador's Comment.

New York, May 18.  
Ambassador Hanihara, addressing the Japan Society, declared the American attitude toward Japanese immigrants was the only question in the whole bright outlook vexing most people's minds. He declared the question was one of elementary principle in international intercourse, namely that of discrimination or non-discrimination, based on colour or nationalities.

## DISASTROUS SCHOOL FIRE IN AMERICA.

### Camden, South Carolina, May 18.

Sixty-six bodies have been taken from the ruins of a schoolhouse at Camden, South Carolina, destroyed by fire, caused by the overturning of an oil lamp during an entertainment attended by pupils and their parents.

The only exit was a narrow wooden staircase, which was jammed with a panic-stricken mass. The building finally collapsed, and besides those burned or crushed to death many were injured.

Camden, (Carolina), May 18.  
The death-roll in the schoolhouse disaster now exceeds 73.

## COUNTY CRICKET MATCHES.

### London, May 18.

Surrey beat Gloucester by eight wickets. For Surrey, Hobbs scored 67 and 50 and Peach in the first innings of Gloucester took 7 for 15.

Sussex beat Northants by nine wickets. For Northants, Woolley knocked up 61 and 62.

Middlesex beat Oxford by sixteen runs the Oxonian Taylor in their first innings compiling 114.

## KRUPP'S APPEAL QUASHED.

### Duesseldorf, May 18.

The court martial of Duesseldorf bridgehead has rejected the appeal by Krupp and others against the sentence of the Werden court martial, except in the case of Mueller, a member of the workers' council of Krupp, whose appeal has been granted because his name was inadvertently omitted by the Government commissary when reading the original sentences of the court. His case will be re-tried.

## ULSTER'S TEMPERANCE BILL.

### London, May 18.

The Northern Ireland House of Commons has agreed to the second reading of the Government Bill providing for the closing of public houses on Sundays, which the Premier, Sir James Craig, said the Government would insist on carrying out completely. The Bill also provides for the abolition of establishments where spirits and groceries are sold and the termination of *land fide* travellers' privileges.

## ANTI-OPIMUM COMMISSION AT GENEVA.

### Geneva, May 18.

The United States delegation to the session of the Anti-Opium Commission of the League of Nations opening on May 24th, includes Mr. Stephen Porter, president of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives, and Monsignor Brent who was president of the Anti-Opium Conference at Shanghai in 1909.

## TURKEY AND GREECE AT LOGGERHEADS.

### London, May 18.

The Turco-Greek deadlock at Lausanne on the question of reparations is regarded as serious by well-informed quarters. Strenuous efforts by the Allies to effect an agreement have hitherto been unavailing. It is anticipated that some decision will be reached at the Turco-Greek meeting to-day.

## MORE TROUBLE IN BURMESE OILFIELD.

### Rangoon, May 18.

The majority of the Burman employees of the Yenangyaung oilfield have again struck without warning, apparently in connection with the discharge of superfluous workmen.

## OIL REFINERIES STRIKE OVER.

### London, May 18.

The strike in the Welsh oil refineries has been settled, and the men are resuming. The matters in dispute have been referred to arbitration.

## THE MARK MARKET.

### London, May 18.

Marks are now quoted at 223,000 to 228,000 to the £.

(Other Telegrams on Page 11.)

## HONGKONG'S BALANCE.

### Over Thirteen Millions.

At the end of 1922, Hongkong's credit balance was \$12,653,642. A statement of assets and liabilities now issued shows that this had increased to \$13,745,439 by the end of January this year.

The total revenue during January amounted to \$2,179,955, compared with \$1,835,117 for the same month last year. Land sales brought in no less than \$241,478, contrasted with \$36,116 for January of 1922.

The month's expenditure came to \$1,092,129, as against \$1,234,033 last year. The main decrease was in Public Works Extraordinary, which absorbed \$33,264 in January this year, compared with \$304,011 for the same month of 1922.

## WM. POWELL, LTD.

### Good Prospects for Coming Year.

The 22nd. ordinary general meeting of shareholders in Messrs. Wm. Powell, Ltd., was held at noon to-day. Mr. J. H. Taggart being in the chair.

The Chairman said—Gentlemen.—The report and accounts having been in your hands for some days I will, with your permission, adopt the usual procedure and treat the same as read. The profit for the year ending the 28th February, 1923, including the sum of \$10,910.44 brought forward from the previous financial year, amounted to \$79,266.09 as compared with \$52,910.44 for the year 1922, and the Board propose that this sum of \$79,266.07 be allocated as follows:—To pay a dividend of \$2 per share on 21,000 shares fully paid up, \$42,000; to place to General Reserve Account, \$10,000; to increase the Equalization of Dividend Account by \$15,000; to pay a bonus to staff of \$5,278.00; and to carry forward to the credit of next account, \$6,988.09. I trust that such appropriations will meet with your approval.

Trade depression naturally detrimentally affects our business, in common with all others. Therefore I venture to think you will agree that the results of the year are very satisfactory (bearing in mind the vicissitudes through which we have passed), and that the Company is to be congratulated on the fact of being able to show an increased profit over the previous year. It is at all times a difficult matter to attempt to prophesy as to the future. I have no hesitation in saying, however, that there is every indication of an improvement in general business conditions during the coming year, from which I am confident that this Company will receive its due share of benefit, especially as no effort is being spared to bring the various departments up to date in order to place us in the position of being able to cope with the increased volume of business which we anticipate.

Before concluding my remarks, I desire to avail myself of this opportunity of placing on record the appreciation of my colleagues on the Board and myself of the services rendered by the Managing Directors and the staff during the past year, as it is largely due to their efforts that the results before you have been attained. In this relation you will observe that your Board have appointed Mr. Holt (your Company's Manager for many years) to the position of a Managing Director in recognition of his hard work and good services in the interest of the Company, and I feel sure you will agree that such an appointment is one that will redound to the credit of all concerned. As regards the staff, I am confident that the bonus proposed to be granted to them will be voted with your unanimous approval. I now beg to formally propose that the report and accounts as presented be adopted and that the balance of Profit and Loss Account be dealt with as recommended by the Board.

The resolution was carried.

It was announced that dividend warrants would be ready on Tuesday next and might be obtained on application at the Company's Office.

## REVENUE MEN.

### Charged at Police Court.

Wong Tai, 39, Ip Shi, 37, Chu Kap and Li Fa, all revenue officers, were charged before Mr. J. R. Wood, at the Police Court this morning for having in conjunction with another not in custody, conspired together with intent to move from the outer Brynhilde, lying off the Taihook Dockyard, a quantity of loose opium without the permission of the Superintendent of Imports and Exports.

Mr. A. E. Hall defended, and Sub-Inspector Pincot appeared for the police. Mr. Lloyd, head of the department, was to have appeared for the prosecution, but after a short discussion the Magistrate amended the charge sheet and made the C.S.P. as prosecutor.

The case was remanded for a week, the defendants being allowed out on bail of \$1,000.

## TAI MO SHAN.

### A Hongkong Summer Resort.

Considerable interest is being evinced in the project now in hand of transforming Tai Mo Shan hill into a summer resort. The idea mainly originated with a group of missionaries amongst whom is the Rev. H. R. Wells, of the London Mission, who to-day supplied a *Telegraph* reporter with some particulars of the scheme.

Missionaries working in and around Canton usually have an annual break-off during the summer months from their strenuous labour. Lofaushan, an attractive hill resort near Sheklung, with a number of old-world monasteries and sylvan retreats, has hitherto been used by them as the place best suited to their needs. Now it seems that the New Territories is to be given the preference, for the missionaries and businessmen who have shared the delights of Lofaushan in the past are very keen on making Tai Mo Shan a summer resort.

The project, it was learned, has been in hand for several months, though an actual start has not been practicable until quite recently. The Government has been approached on the matter, and Mr. Green, of the Forestry Department has been in close touch with the missionaries in the matter.

In its present state, there is nothing much about Tai Mo Shan to recall the usual type of summer resort, but it is hoped that sufficient work will soon have been put through to enable those concerned to take up residence there this summer. The attractions of Tai Mo Shan are yet few, but as the missionaries interested in the scheme are mostly Americans and Canadians of a progressive bent they will no doubt set to work to introduce whatever is yet lacking. The presence of good building granite in the locality, with many level places suitable for sites on the shoulder of the mountain, will give considerable impetus to the scheme. For the present, a number of shacks will be erected to give comfortable accommodation to about eighty people until progress on a more ambitious scale is possible.

Tai Mo Shan, it should be noted, is one of the highest points in the New Territories, being 3,100 feet in elevation. Compared with the Victoria Peak, which it exceeds by some 500 feet, the place is eminently desirable for the purpose to which it is being put. Its nearer position to the sea than Lofaushan is another point which doubtless has influenced the missionaries in their choice of the place.

A drawback has been encountered in the difficulty of obtaining labour for the erection of the needed structures, but it is hoped that this will be soon overcome. Meanwhile a good number of local residents will be no doubt keenly interested in the scheme, which is not to be confined to the missionaries but will be made available to others who need a brief respite from toil during the hot season.

## THE DREAD OF FIRE.

### How to Protect Your Homes.

It can be safely said that in every home there exists a very real dread of the demon "Fire." Burglars and armed robbers fade away into insignificance beside this monster, and yet it is a curious fact that whereas every precaution is taken against the thief, who at the most can only take away a few valuables, the dreaded intruder "Fire" fights over the very last stick once he has made his appearance, frequently without opposition. This simile is surely a very apt one, and yet in spite of the undeniable fact there are dozens of homes where not the slightest effort is made to provide fighting appliances against destruction by fire.

This is all the more remarkable when it is taken into consideration that the most scientific and effective measures can be adopted at the very minimum of expenditure. In the modern cities of the world the automatic fire extinguisher is becoming as much a part of the home as the telephone, and this in centres where the latest in public fire brigade appliances are available within a few minutes from the time of call—but it is realised that these few minutes may make all the difference between "A save" or "A loss." How much more so is it necessary that, situated as some of our homes are out here, especially those on the Peak, steps should be taken to avoid the inconvenience and loss which is so often brought about from fires?

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## News in To-day's New Advertisements.

The third Gymkhana Meeting will be held on the 2nd. prox.—Page 4.

Attention is drawn to a really practical method of guarding against the misfortune of having your home destroyed by fire.—Page 9.

All Fire and Marine Insurance Offices will be closed for the transaction of public business on the 21st. inst.—Page 4.

Wanted! Experienced lady stenotypist (European).—Page 4.

Anderson's have received the latest in dance records.—Page 4.

## LISTEN.

"Get acquainted with your neighbour, you might like him," says the philosopher.

Dairy Farm hours of business on Whit Monday and Empire Day are given on Page 4.

For the week-end feature at the Coronet Theatre refer to Pages 4 and 14.

Are you afraid to face the future? See notice on Page 7.

Consignees are notified of the arrival of the s.s. "Kaituku Maru"—Page 13.

"The Sporting Duchess" is being screened at the Star Theatre to-night. On Monday next. The Courtneidge-Holloway Company open for a short season at this theatre.—Pages 3 and 14.



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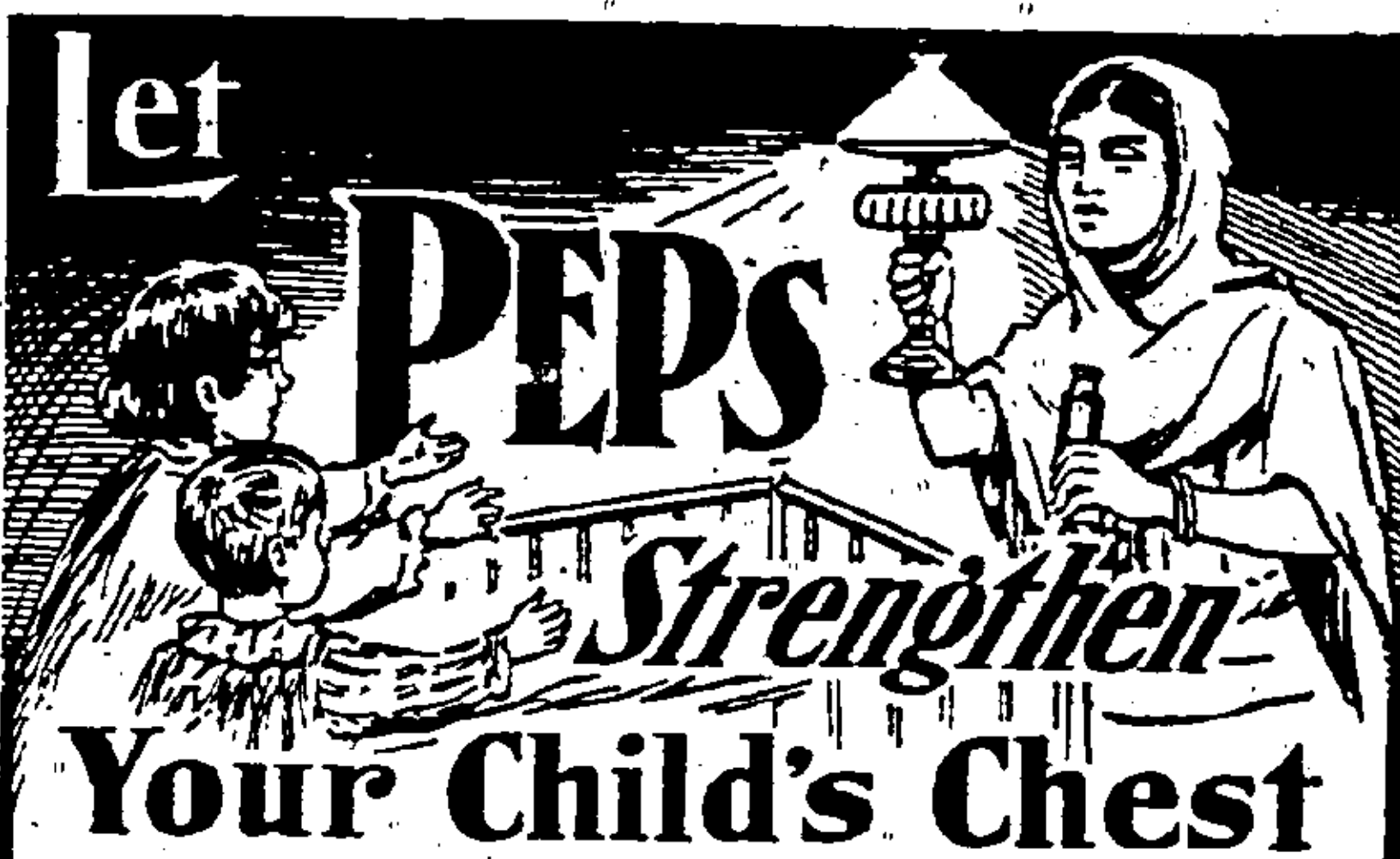
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and comfort to your eyes. If they  
do and if the mountings are pro-  
perly adjusted, they are All  
Right. Do not be satisfied unless  
they are. There is no comfort in  
spectacles that are merely "good  
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manufacturing opticians (the  
originators of manufacturing  
Toric lenses in the colony) located  
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have the equipment to adjust  
your glasses to a nicety.

thrifty housewife, particularly  
in view of possible mishaps such  
as befell my experiment. I placed  
the egg in the corner of a stocking  
and whirled it vigorously for five  
minutes. In some way the silk  
caused the egg-shell to break. The  
contents scattered in all direc-  
tions, but it had been whirled long  
enough to cause an alteration in  
their density, as a colleague who  
intercepted some of them is pre-  
pared to testify.

WOMAN IN THE  
REICHSTAG.

Interview with A Member.

The entrance of women into  
active Parliamentary life has  
been, tardily, and not without  
much misgiving, accepted by the  
Englishman. To-day, there are  
two women representatives at  
Westminster, and the results of  
the recent German elections  
show that no fewer than 35 wo-  
men have seats in the Reichstag  
— the German Parliament.

The Sunday Times gives a brief  
account of an interview with one  
of the successful candidates for  
the Reichstag—Frau Schreiber,  
a member of the Social Democratic  
Party. She says:—

"Personality plays far less a  
part in German politics than in  
English. The German system of  
voting by list tends to do away  
with any prejudice there is  
against women, for the elector  
does not think of whom he is  
voting for, but for what party he  
represents, and supports any can-  
didate his party may put for-  
ward."

"There has been a tendency,  
hitherto, to consider that the  
woman aspirant for Parliamen-  
tary life is a type apart. Says  
Frau Schreiber:—

"There seems to be no special  
type of women in the Reichstag.  
One sees every class and condi-  
tion, from the aristocrat to the  
working women. Marriage makes  
very little difference, for, although  
there are many mothers of large  
families, at least a score of un-  
married women have been elect-  
ed."

Nor is the election of women  
merely a triumph for the sex:  
"There is absolutely no women's  
vote apart from the men's;  
an independent woman candidate,  
appealing to women on purely  
feminine grounds, would prob-  
ably not poll a single vote." At  
the same time, the activities of  
the women members have con-  
tributed towards the enactment  
of laws for the opening to all  
women of the professions, on  
equal terms with men, and the  
betterment of conditions for  
young women and children.

Of the 35 women elected, more  
than 28 belong to the Socialist  
group, but no party is without  
representation, "even those who  
most opposed suffrage before the  
war becoming reconciled when  
they see how moderate and  
sensible the women voters are."  
Frau Schreiber is a Viennese,  
is married to a German, and is  
an experienced journalist, much  
devoted to social work.

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Tickets will be distributed through Naval and Military Authorities, British Legation, Easna Club, Harbour Office (for Mercantile Marine Officers & Engineers) and Central Police Station.

Other Sections of the Community may obtain tickets in the Entrance to the City Hall on Saturday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 19th, 22nd and 23rd. May, between the hours of 10 a.m. and noon.

Each ticket admits one person. There will be no charge for admission to the stands.

**PEAK TRAMWAYS CO., LTD.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong on Wednesday the 23rd May 1923 at 11.00 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 30th April 1923.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Friday the 18th day of May to Thursday the 24th day of May 1923, both days inclusive.

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 General Managers,  
 Hongkong, 15th. May, 1923.

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Members are advised that they must show their Badges to obtain admission to the Members Enclosure.

Each member has the right of introducing 2 non-members to the members enclosure, tickets for whom can be obtained from Messrs. Linstead & Davis at \$5.00 each up to Friday June 1st. The Stewards invite the ladies of Hongkong to be present.

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**NOTICE.**  
**BANK HOLIDAY.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that all FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE OFFICES will be CLOSED for the Transaction of PUBLIC BUSINESS on MONDAY, 21st May, 1923.

By Order,  
**LOWE BINGHAM AND MATTHEWS,**  
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 Hongkong, 18th. May, 1923.

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- That 51,656 of the unissued shares of \$10.—be divided into 129,140 shares of \$4.—each.
- That the Capital of the Company be divided into two classes of shares namely, 48,344 ordinary "A" shares of \$10.—each and 129,140 ordinary "B" shares of \$4.—each and that the provisions following in regard thereto have effect that is to say:—  
 (1) The ordinary "A" shares aforesaid shall be those shares which are numbered 1 to 48,343 inclusive and one additional \$10.—share which if and when issued shall be numbered 48,344.

- The ordinary "B" shares aforesaid shall be those unissued shares of \$4.—each which will, when issued be numbered 48,345 to 177,485 inclusive.
- The said ordinary "B" shares shall as from the date or dates of issue fully paid rank equally with the said ordinary "A" shares as regards dividend transmission conference of rights to vote and distribution of assets in the event of winding up.
- If the Company shall be wound up the surplus assets shall be distributed as nearly as may be among the members in proportion to the number of shares held by them at the commencement of the winding up. But this clause is to be without prejudice to the rights of the holders of shares issued upon special terms and conditions.

C. That the Articles of Association be amended by the deletion of clauses 107 and 126 thereof.

D. To consider the election of and to elect further Director or Directors.

By Order of the Board,  
**E. PEPPERELL,**  
 Acting Secretary.

## FORTHCOMING AUCTION SALES

**HUGHES & HOUGH**  
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The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction. (For Account of the Concerned).

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**J. D. LLOYD,**  
 Superintendent,  
 Imports and Exports.  
 Hongkong, 16th May, 1923.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the FIFTY-FOURTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, UNION BUILDING, Hongkong on FRIDAY, 25th May, 1923, at 12.15 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1922, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 11th May to 25th May, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
**PAUL LAUDER,**  
 Acting General Manager,  
 Hongkong, 14th. May, 1923.

**LAMMERT BROS.**

**PUBLIC AUCTIONS.**

**THE** Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction on

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 11th May to 25th May both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
**PAUL LAUDER,**  
 Acting General Manager.  
 Hongkong, 5th. May, 1923.

**THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED**

**NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.**

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 11th May to 25th May, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,  
**PAUL LAUDER,**  
 Acting General Manager,  
 Hongkong, 4th. May, 1923.

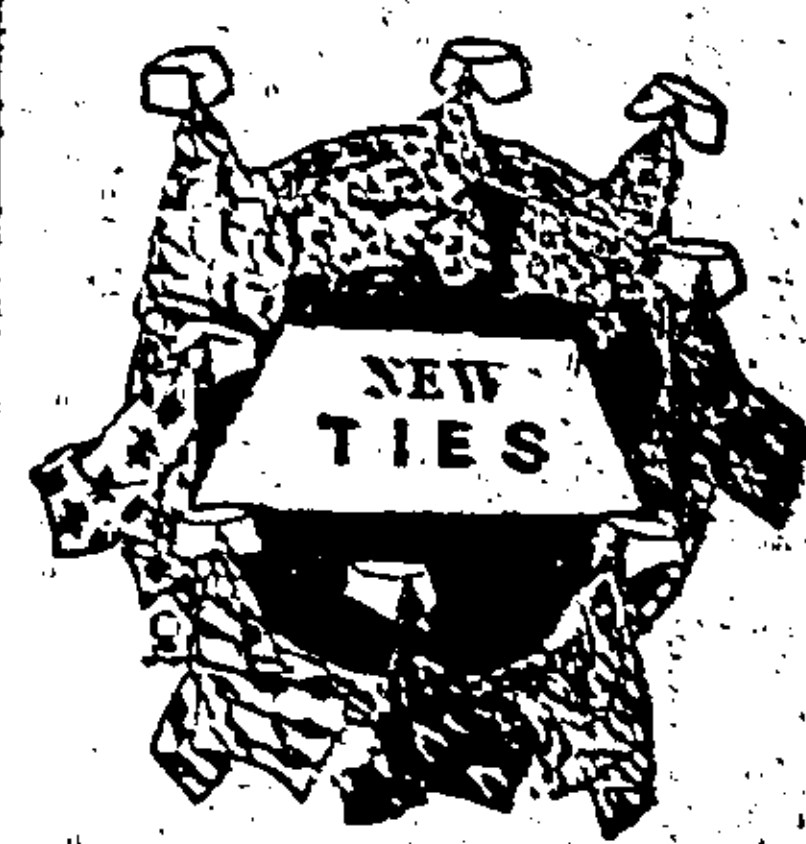
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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the FIFTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, UNION BUILDING, Hongkong on FRIDAY, 25th. May, 1923, at 12.15 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1922, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 11th May to 25th May, both days inclusive.

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 Capt. Supt. of Police.  
 Hongkong, 17th. May, 1923.

**KOWLOON EXPERIMENT.**

**Plays for the Peninsula.**

By way of an experiment to test the demand for good plays amongst the people of the Peninsula, the Courtneidge-Holloway Company is to go across next week to Kowloon, where three of the best pieces in the Company's repertoire are to be put on at the Star Theatre. Besides paying a dollar less for his dress circle seat, the Kowloon theatre-goer will have the advantage of the Star's first-class orchestra to while away the intervals which have hitherto been allowed for. If next week's venture meets with enough support to justify it, similar fixtures will be arranged with touring companies visiting Hongkong in future.

"The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" will be the Company's opening piece at the Star on Monday night. It will be followed by "Abraham Lincoln" on Tuesday and by "The Bat" on Wednesday night. Prices are \$3, \$2 and \$1, and looking is at Moutrie's and the Star Ferry.

**FILMS WITH INDIAN SETTINGS.**

British Film-makers ought immediately to devote their attention to the selection of pictures suitable for cinemas in the East. The Indian mind is peculiarly susceptible to pictorial education, but the vogue is for films manufactured in the United States, occasionally containing scenes ill-adapted to local understanding. Apart from their intellectual appeal, the question of films ought to be considered as a business proposition. American picture-agents are in India making and finishing serials with an Indian setting. A picture begun in San Francisco has already been completed in Calcutta, whilst another will be undertaken later. Next season four more will be produced, one of which will have its setting in Burma and a second in Calcutta.

British manufacturers ought to study the requirements of Indian spectators and also make use of India's scenic background.—Ex.

**THE JAPANESE CASTES.**

The three social orders established in the feudal era in Japan were the kuge (Emperor and nobles), buke or samurai (military class), and hinin (commoners). Beneath the last came the eta (outcast) and hinin (outcast), the eta being descendants of prisoners of war and condemned criminals who were employed in tending graves, disposing of dead bodies, slaughtering animals, and tanning hides. They were ostracized and admitted to the homes by the Emperor Meiji in 1876 when the census returns showed 287,111 eta and 695,490 hinin.

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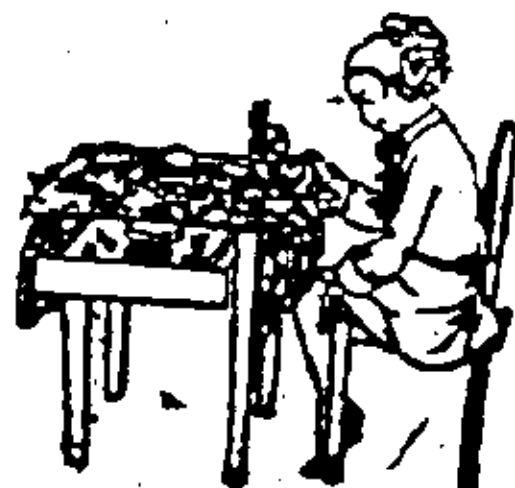
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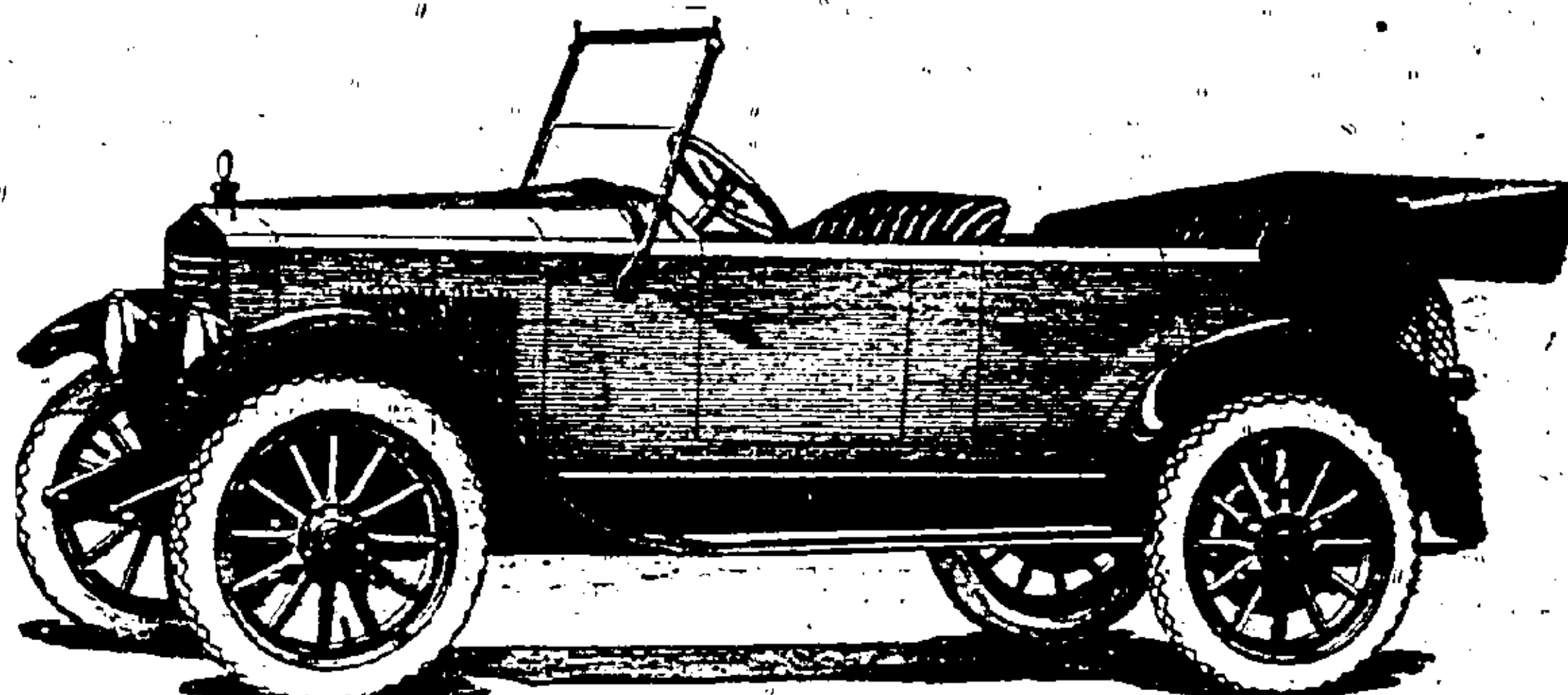
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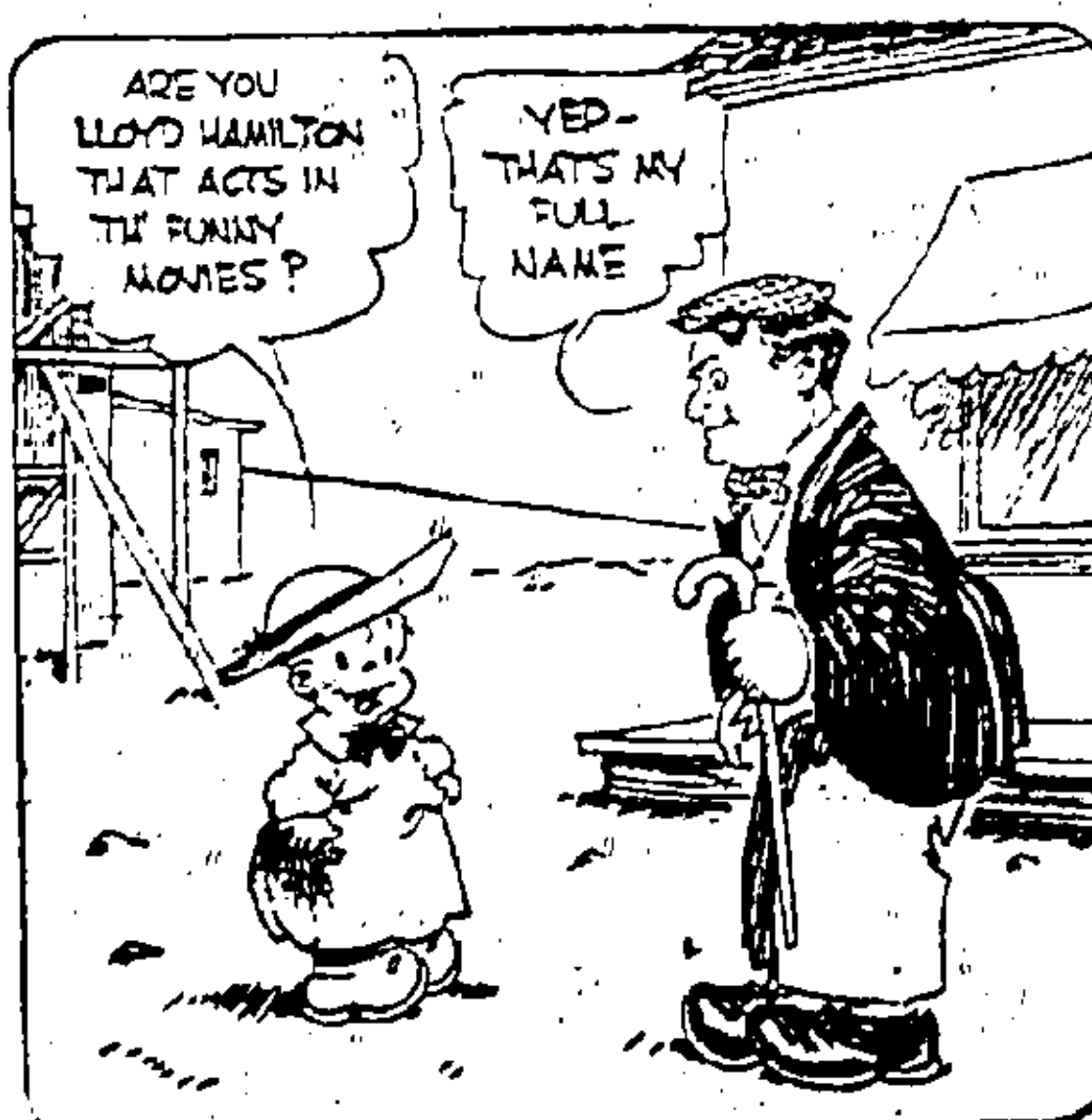
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BIRTH.

LAWRENCE. — At Matilda Hospital, on Saturday, 19th May, to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lawrence, a son.

The Telegraph.

HONGKONG, 19th May, 1923.

THE OFFICIAL WAY.

Hongkong at the moment is without the services of a Director of Public Works. Although officially described as being on leave, Mr. T. L. Perkins has in reality retired. The Government knows it. Everyone knows it. Somebody else will fill the "acting" post until such time as Mr. Perkins' official "leave" expires, and maybe even longer still. The result is that the "acting" process is continued right down the scale, until, in the final analysis, we come to one man doing two men's work. Such is the situation created by official methods in an already much over-worked Government department. It is useless for us to imagine that we have a D.P.W. on the high seas, merely bound for Home on leave. We have not. The position is vacant.

This ostrich-like method of pretending that things are not really what they are is totally out of date. It serves no good purpose, and it is high time it was dropped by Officialdom. The Government has known full well for many months that Mr. Perkins was going on retirement. Then why has it not adopted a business-like attitude and filled the vacancy right away? "Olo custom" is the only answer that can be given. If "leave" for Mr. Perkins is necessary for pension reasons, why could not his successor have been definitely appointed before now and have "acted" until the leave officially expired? Because, presumably, that is not the Government way. Possibly that would be too business-like—our old friend Red Tape would not get a chance.

We write thus because the policy followed is a bad one—bad in any circumstance, and worse still when applied to an admittedly over-worked and understaffed department. Incidentally, we should like to know if any thing has been done towards reorganising the P.W.D. as advocated by the Unofficial members during the last Budget debate. It was then urged that the enormous amount of detail work handled by the head of the department should be carried out by his senior assistants, each of

whom should have charge of his own department and have considerably increased powers and responsibilities. It was realised then, as it still is, that this might possibly involve an increase in the salaries of the senior staff, but the money would be well spent and greater efficiency secured. Mr. Severn, who was then acting Governor, declared that the proposal would "no doubt be a very proper thing to do," and stated the suggestion would soon come under consideration by the Government. What has happened since then, we wonder? Two main facts stand out. They are that the P.W.D. is the Colony's hardest-worked department, and it is decidedly under-staffed, in the Building Office especially. And there is one other fact—Hongkong at the moment is without the services of a Director of Public Works.

Art O'Brien and Others.

Often enough, there turns out to be some technicality in that wonderful and ponderous institution, the Laws of England, which enables a criminal to escape just punishment, or protects an individual from being brought to trial. This speaks well for the fairness of our laws, with the old doctrine of *habeas corpus* at its very foundation, and forming a British privilege, hundreds of years old, that is denied the subjects of more than one modern civilised country. In the case of Art O'Brien (whose picturesque name has no doubt added to the matter) and the other deportees from Britain to the Irish Free State, the mighty machinery of the Law has been set in motion with the result that the gentleman in question and his alleged fellow-conspirators have had to be brought back to England. In a number of cases, though, including that of O'Brien himself, the authorities are taking proceedings along different lines. The Home Secretary, as a servant of the Government, committed an illegal act in ordering the arrests and deportations, and his subordinates at Scotland Yard abetted this offence. However, if the English law is sometimes deserving of the appellation "a hass," the British Constitution is able to remedy matters, and Parliament has merely to pass an Indemnity Bill in order to protect the officers of the Crown who have been concerned unwittingly in breaking the law. One hardly dare contemplate what would happen were the Bill to fail to pass!

Thumbs Up!

When Hongkong's cricket team was selected for the task of bringing back the "ashes" from Shanghai, grave doubts were expressed by many here as to the prospects of success. It was said that there was too much new blood, and however well a man might shape in club cricket, the test of an interport contest might find him wanting. Whatever the result of the big match, those critics have for all time been confounded. The new blood in Hongkong's eleven has proved itself right well. When Shanghai's big first-innings score was cabled, all seemed lost, but our representatives have lived up to the spirit of the motto *nil desperandum*, and stand a good chance of wiping out the previous defeat this Colony has suffered. The Goddess Chance has been at work again, but has been very impartial in the distribution of her favours. On both sides we find men who have sparked in one innings, but struck a bad patch in the other. The glorious uncertainties of cricket were never better illustrated. Our eleven are "thumbs up," and will try their best to win. May victory go to the better side, and may this be Hongkong!

"INTERPORTS" AT SWATOW.

Hongkong Team Leaves.

The Hongkong "Interport" team for Swatow left by the Douglas steamer Hailong at noon yesterday. The players making the trip were: E. J. K. Mitchell (Captain), E. C. England, Lieut. E. G. Hoar, R. M. L. L., Dr. McGown, W. W. Mackenzie, Lt. Com. R. D. Paffard, A. N., A. B. Raworth, H. Spicer, Capt. D. R. Wahl, M. M. Watson and R. E. A. Webster. "Interport" cricket, football, tennis, billiards and "rounders" will be played over the Whitsuntide holidays. The team will return to Hongkong on Friday next.

DAY BY DAY.

GREAT MINDS, LIKE HEAVEN, ARE PLEASED IN DOING GOOD, THOUGH THE UNGRATEFUL SUBJECTS OF THEIR FAVORS ARE BARREN IN RETURN.—Rome.

The name of Mr. H. W. Cowling has been added to the list of authorised architects.

The proposed sale of Inland Lot 2430, situated at Wong Nei Cheung, has been cancelled.

Tenders are being invited for the preparation of site and the erection of sexton's quarters at Kowloon Cemetery.

Mr. R. A. C. North has been appointed an Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs and a Deputy Registrar of Marriages.

The Rev. Fr. H. Valtorta is to be a Member of the Board of Education in the place of the Very Rev. Father P. de Maria, deceased.

Mr. H. A. Nisbet is appointed Estate Duty Commissioner, Official Receiver, and Registrar of Trade Marks and Patents in addition to his other duties.

One of the crew of the fishing junk 2052 H.W. was drowned when knocked overboard by the sail in a high wind that suddenly arose whilst the vessel was off Waglan. The body was not recovered.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. Henry Thomas Jackson to act as Director of Public Works and to be a Member of the Executive and Legislative Councils, during his tenure of office.

Dr. S. S. Strahan is to be a Member of the Dental Board during the absence from the Colony of Dr. Charles Forsyth, whilst Dr. H. Baleson is to be a member during the absence from the Colony of Dr. G. D. R. Black.

With her girdle tied round her neck, and life extinct, the remains of a woman were found under the verandah of a house at Bay View yesterday and identified to be those of an inmate of No. 7 Tung Wahlau. Suicide is suspected by the police.

With regard to the enquiries we have received concerning the proposed scheme for building European houses, these have been forwarded to the gentleman initiating the movement, who will no doubt communicate with those interested.

It is notified that written application for a special licence to marry must be presented to the Registrar of Marriages by one of the parties to the intended marriage in person not less than seven days before the date proposed for the issue of the special licence.

His Excellency the Governor has made the following appointment under the provisions of the Hongkong Volunteer Regulations, 1920:—Captain Even Cameron Cross, 2nd Battalion The King's Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Brevet-Major Reginald Bradley Young, Sherwood Foresters, with effect from the 1st June, 1923.

That witty and engrossing play, "The Man from Toronto," was staged by the Courtneidge-Hollway Company at the Theatre Royal last night. It was extremely well acted, proving one of the best plays in the Company's repertoire. To-night the last performance at the Theatre Royal will take place, when "The Bat" will be staged. The Company appears for three nights at Kowloon next week.

TO-DAY'S  
MISCELLANY.

The House of Commons has rejected by 244 votes to 100 a Bill to enable Ministers who are members of the House of Lords to address the Commons, and vice versa. The introducer, Captain Thorpe, pointed out this practice prevailed in France, Spain, Belgium, and South Africa. Mr. Fringle, in a bantering speech, said that the fact that the Government had constituted itself largely of members of the House of Lords was no reason why these distinguished gentlemen should be given the opportunity of speaking in the Commons.

## Bulls and Inners

From the Office Butts.

We are requested to deny the rumour, that in order to avoid here, well-formed girls get before coming in contact with the public eye much more often than in the Square, church, or services will be held each Sunday morning at the Hongkong Club.

A correspondent writes to warn our readers that Radio King has already been chosen as the name of the next Derby winner. Thanks.

Isn't it a pity that just when you've got to wear smoked glasses, comes the season for diaphanous gowns?

Figures speak for themselves. Many observed on our local bathing beaches simply shriek.

The man who invented the saxophone is still at large.

MacWhirtar, he says similarity between women breeds contempt.

A golf ball leaves the club head at about 135 miles an hour, which is just a trifle under the rate of some of our government officials leave Hongkong on a Wednesday morning.

Possibly our mid-day coffee looks muddy because it is ground.

Why are compradores like the Light Brigade? Because they charge like thunder.

You can have a real hot time without being sunburnt.

Things might be lots worse. Think of the rotten time some folk would have eating if they had no elbows.

Bathing reveals that skinny folk have often more than they can bare.

By the time the police have roped in all our juvenile footballers, vigilance committees will have been formed to deal with our armed robbers.

Just when things are about at their worst, they let experienced police officers go home on pension. Why? Simple enough. No man itches for increased responsibility on the same pay.

When in doubt, do not waver. Put on your brakes. You can get lots of new ones for \$10,000.

They'll be inventing wireless pianos next.

If some of our detectives were put on crime instead of sport, our law would be less of a laughing stock among the Chinese.

We wish they'd settle their political differences Yau-mat way at Mah Jongg.

Looks as if the luckiest thing about the Hide and Leather Coy. is that they didn't build further out.

The next time we see Jones wandering about Statue Square on Sunday morning, we'll ask him afterwards what the text was.

At Harry Ore's Recital, says a contemporary, the handling of the "Maiden's Wish" was a delight to the ear. After they're married they generally change their tune.

It would appear that our C.S.P. has taken lately to looking through the wrong end of the telescope.

Our scoop specialist is at present suffering from an affliction of the eye. It is suggested that he has been gazing over-much at the output of the Helena May laundry.

An idea fixe is something between an unsympathetic magistrate and football in the streets.

It would appear from Mr. Jenkins' happy reference to the marcel wave, that our Ladies' page is more popular than we thought.

Any time he feels like having a shot in this column, he needn't bother about asking leave.

From all this Statue Square pothole, we gather that too many people are hunting trouble. Too few policemen are not.

Hongkong has so many shootings in our streets that they can't finish at night.

Now that the warm weather is coming, the public eye much more often than the well-informed ones.

St. George's Society, Shanghai, had \$3,000 profit on their Ball. Hongkong Englishmen also meant well, but managed to keep well within their means.

The Kowloon amateur gardener whose corn disappeared the other night is now feeling the pinch.

The man who was "fed up" with Army life apparently soon got "fed up" feeding other people.

The yarn that McKirdy had won the second prize in the Shanghai Champions Sweep is alleged to be a joke. The brand of humour indulged in by some folk is on a par with the ease with which their hearers are gulled.

It looks as if some of the K.C.C. will have to buy their vegetables in the open market soon.

"Careless Blasting on the Peak," says a *Telegraph* heading, in close proximity to the Peak car, we presume.

If things go on as they are, China will require a month of Sundays to celebrate her "Day of National Shame."

A report of shooting and that gambling was taking place was carried to the police. Some of these craps make an awful noise.

Wonder what happens to all those promulgated military prisoners?

The Honky-tonks played at the V.R.C. last night. The Bow Wows are now booked up for the season. Looks as if our recreation is going to the dogs.

Now me lad, eyes front and stick out your chest. Listen to what the Post calls us—"Hongkong has developed on all sides, with the result that the premier port on the Pacific is assuming the dimensions and progressive characteristics worthy of its proud position." Cheers from Belliloe Terrace!

"Nurses," we are told, "who remain for many hours in the sick-room are highly susceptible." Which probably accounts for the high marriage mortality.

The next time you think of writing to the papers about the pigeons next door imagine what it must be to have to live with a few bandits for the best part of a month.

The housing shortage must not be acute with the compradores, judging from the way they take you in.

Wish we could have a few more concrete examples like those on Queen's Road.

Now that several more volcanic islands have appeared, we are looking forward to Mr. Te Tsen-Tai telling us that they are further proof of "Upheaval and Subsidence of Land."

Familiarity breeds contempt, which perhaps accounts for the casual manner in which all the papers dismissed the story of the hold-up of an American millionaire at the Theatre Royal this week.

Compared to the time taken to build our Post Office and Law Courts the War Memorial was quite a rush job.

An oscillating valve is something which moves at a slow rate between Government and the Secretary for State.

The Government is always very cautious regarding the introduction of innovations. It took four and a half years to give Hongkong its Cinematograph. Broadcasting may therefore be expected sometime in December, 1923.

On November 11, 1918, was fired the last shot of the Great War. On May 24, 1923, will be unveiled the last war memorial.

Pot-hunters are now being barred at Fanling. Shepherd's Pie will continue, however, to appear on the menu.

Tough luck on our chemists. Suicides are taking more and more to pillon-riding.



## RADIO IN HONGKONG.

## An Amateur's Views.

A local radio enthusiast sends us the following letter for publication—

Sir.—At the recent meeting held in the City Hall for the purpose of starting a Radio Club a local gentleman advocated that the proposed Club should do its own broadcasting. This suggestion deserves more attention than it appears to have received. There is absolutely no reason why the members should not have a broadcasting set the cost of which will be considerably less than is supposed necessary by the average student of radio.

As in Shanghai and other places, it will be found that in many cases, artists, amateur and professional, will gladly give their services for broadcasting without charge. Furthermore, local phonograph firms will furnish their best talking machines for the benefit of the advertising obtained. Apart from the foregoing no difficulty should be experienced in "picking-up" songs, music etc. from Manila and Shanghai, atmospheric conditions being normal and the equipment used being even of a fair make.

The radio public are naturally interested in obtaining the benefits of broadcasting for Hongkong, though they are certainly not ready to approve that the broadcasting company obtain a percentage of profit for each set sold in Hongkong, irrespective of whether sold by the firm doing the broadcasting or by other firms. It is good to know that at least one local firm is willing to broadcast without any impositions such as royalties. It seems to be taken for granted that a royalty on all sets imported will be imposed, though no official statement to this effect has appeared nor has the Government indicated, in any way, that it is the intention to desire a royalty.

The Government, on the other hand, will no doubt do the utmost possible to benefit local experimenters and to help bring the efficiency of the latter to as high a pitch as possible. It is understood that this object will not be gained by charging local importers a fee on parts or sets imported, because such an action would only result in that extra expense being added, in proportion, to the C.I.F. charges of imported equipment so that the public would have to pay in the long run. The authorities have sufficient sources of revenue without making another out of sets imported for the use of amateurs.

It appears that several requests for permission to transmit have been already sent in, and so it seems that the authorities would show their impartial standing by giving firms a transmission permit in the order of priority; that is, offer the firm which first requested a permit for broadcasting the opportunity to do so, and if not accepted, then offer to the other applicants in turn.

At the City Hall a suggestion was made that no person interested in the sale of radio apparatus should be invited to take official position. The proposition was not seconded, and perhaps it was just as well. We may take it for granted that many of those who were elected received that honour in view of their having a better knowledge of radio than the majority. As to the fear responsible for the proposition referred to, we may safely leave it to the officials to discharge their functions purely for the pleasure always derived from service well done.

There are doubtless other firms that have been waiting for permission to broadcast after receipt of which the favoured firm will commence operations. These firms realize that the cost of broadcasting will be more than offset by the profits derived from the sale of their sets, as naturally the public will give that firm the preference, other things being equal, which proves the efficiency of its apparatus by broadcasting. The public understands that the quality differs according to the price and that while a valve set costs more than a crystal one, it is well worth the extra expense.

In conclusion, it may be taken for granted that the Government does not desire to delay the operation of efficient broadcasting longer than is necessary. Benefit can be obtained by a knowledge of experience gained from mistakes made at home and in other countries, and until the authorities obtain definite information upon this matter the Committee of the Radio Club might do worse than offer the results of its collective deliberation to the Government.

Yours etc.,

VALVE.

Hongkong, May 18, 1923.

## INTERPORT CRICKET.

## Hongkong in Good Position.

As the details given below will show, Hongkong has quite a good chance of winning the interport contest against Shanghai. As a message to the Cricket Club last night put it, the team is doing its damndest. Shanghai's second innings yielded 255, this leaving Hongkong with 275 to win. At the close of play yesterday, the visitors were 185 up for the loss of five wickets, and Pearce, the veteran skipper, was not out with a magnificent 81 to his credit.

Shanghai, May 18. Although more than 800 runs had been scored the pitch, whilst showing slight signs of wearing, still played fast and true when the last of the three days play in the interport match was entered upon. At the tiffin interval, the result remained in doubt, due to Hongkong's tail wagging to such good purpose yesterday. But for Quayle and Isaacs Hongkong might still have been piling on runs, but as it was Hongkong was only 19 short of Shanghai's big first innings total of 351. Ollerdesen, Claxton, Barrett and Muriel were all disposed of cheaply in the second innings, and the whole aspect of the game changed in favour of the visitors. Hayward and Quayle then stopped the run, the former being dismissed with 51 to his credit, leaving Quayle (52 not out) and Leach (11 not out) to carry on the fight this morning. The feature of the play was Hongkong's fine fielding and wicket-keeping.

Quayle, suffering from an injured thumb, could not hit with his customary freedom. Leach batted vigorously, rapidly overhauling his partner, but with his score at 98 he tipped a good ball from Sayer into Davies' safe hands behind the stumps. Hansell helped Quayle to put on further runs, but the latter was eventually caught on the boundary by Dods off Sayer, who was puzzling the batsmen with some soft stuff. Allison made merry for a few overs, but the end came when Owen Hughes captured the wickets of Peck and Isaacs in quick succession. At the tiffin interval Shanghai were all out for 255, leaving Hongkong 275 to get to win.

Owen Hughes and Quick did most of the bowling. The left-hander was varying his stuff a lot and was by no means easy to score off. He had the creditable analysis of six wickets for 74 runs. Quick proved expensive, his single victim costing him 74. Sayer did very well with his lob, getting two for 23.

## Pearce In Form.

Commencing the second innings after the tiffin interval, Hongkong started badly. Sayer, Quick and Owen Hughes were speedily dismissed. Thanks to some substantial double figure scores by Rumjahn and Wood, the total mounted steadily, and towards the end of the day Pearce and Wild became associated in a very profitable partnership. Pearce batted splendidly, making a number of fine scoring strokes. He was particularly strong on the leg side. Wild, who did so well in the first innings, gave him valuable assistance. The two were together and "still fighting hard," as a Shanghai message puts it, when stumps were drawn for the day, with the score at 185 for five. A cable from Reuters gives the score at 195 for five and adds that the match will be continued to-day.

## Scores:

Shanghai—1st Innings.		
E. B. Ollerdesen, b Young	96	
A. A. Claxton, c Owen Hughes, b Quick	29	
Capt. E. I. M. Barrett, c Wood, b Owen Hughes	60	
H. E. Muriel, run out	89	
J. A. Quayle	0	
A. W. Hayward	3	
D. W. Leach	3	
W. N. Hansell, c and b Owen Hughes	17	
H. W. Allison	0	
H. C. B. Peck, c Rumjahn, b Owen Hughes	42	
S. Isaacs	2	
Extras	10	
Total	351	

## Bowling analysis.—

	R.	W.
F. N. Young	83	2
H. Owen Hughes	92	4
E. K. Quick	74	1
U. M. Omar	74	2

## Hongkong—1st Innings.

T. E. Pearce, b Quayle	5
A. A. Rumjahn, b Isaacs	21
G. R. Sayer, c Claxton, b Quayle	57
Rev. E. K. Quick, b Quayle	21
H. Owen Hughes, b Isaacs	30

A. E. Wood, run out	0
R. H. Wild, run out	88
Capt. E. R. S. Dods, b Quayle	43
U. M. Omar, not out	14
L. J. Davies, b Quayle	18
F. N. Young, b Quayle	2
Extras	40

Total 332

	R.	W.
Quayle	70	6
Allison	39	0
Peck	24	0
Leach	35	0
Isaacs	39	2
Hansell	30	0
Barrett	15	0

## Shanghai—2nd Innings.

E. B. Ollerdesen, st. Davies, b Quick	1
A. A. Claxton, c Quick, b Owen Hughes	12
A. W. Hayward, c and b Owen Hughes	31
Capt. E. I. M. Barrett, run out	2
H. F. Muriel, b Owen Hughes	1
J. A. Quayle, c Dods, b Sayer	81
D. W. Leach, c Davies, b Sayer	68
W. N. Hansell, not out	18
H. C. B. Peck, b Owen Hughes	2
S. Isaacs, c Young, b Hughes	2
Extras	16

Total 255

## Bowling analysis.—

	R.	W.
F. N. Young	61	0
E. K. Quick	81	1
H. Owen Hughes	74	6
U. M. Omar	7	0
G. R. Sayer	23	2

## Hongkong—2nd Innings.

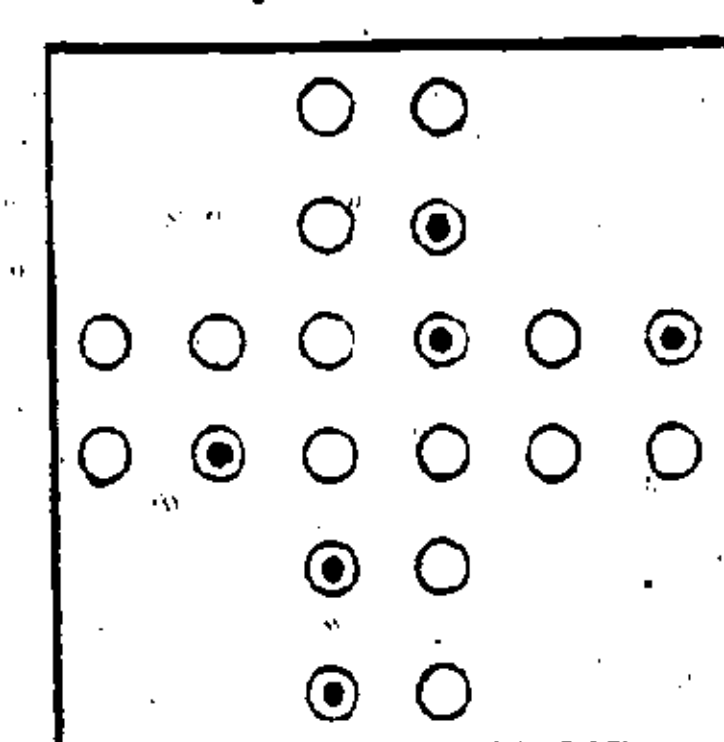
G. R. Sayer	7
A. A. Rumjahn	38
E. K. Quick	6
H. Owen Hughes	0
A. E. Wood	28
T. E. Pearce, not out	81
R. H. Wild, not out	21
Extras	4

Total (for 5 wickets) 185

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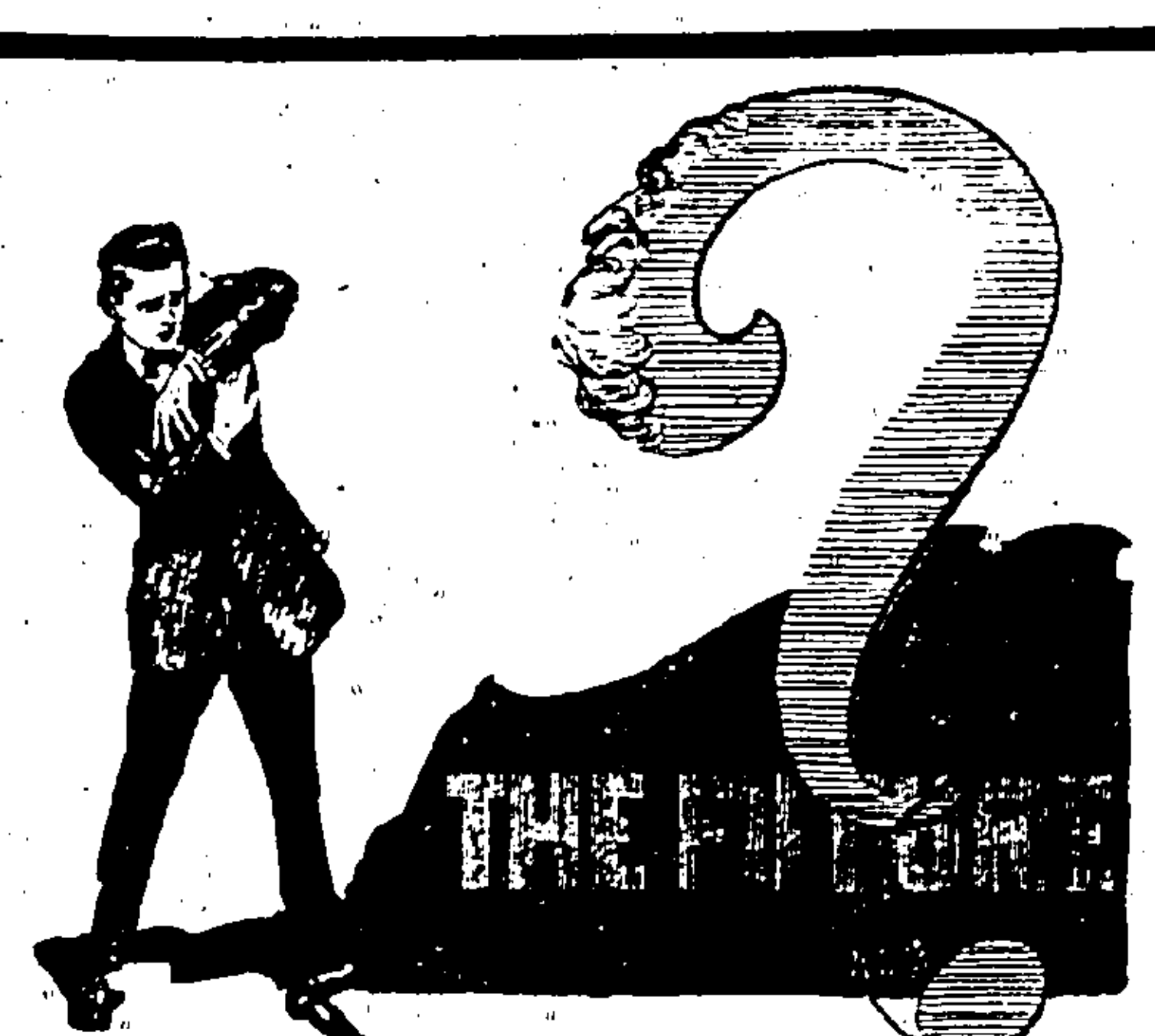
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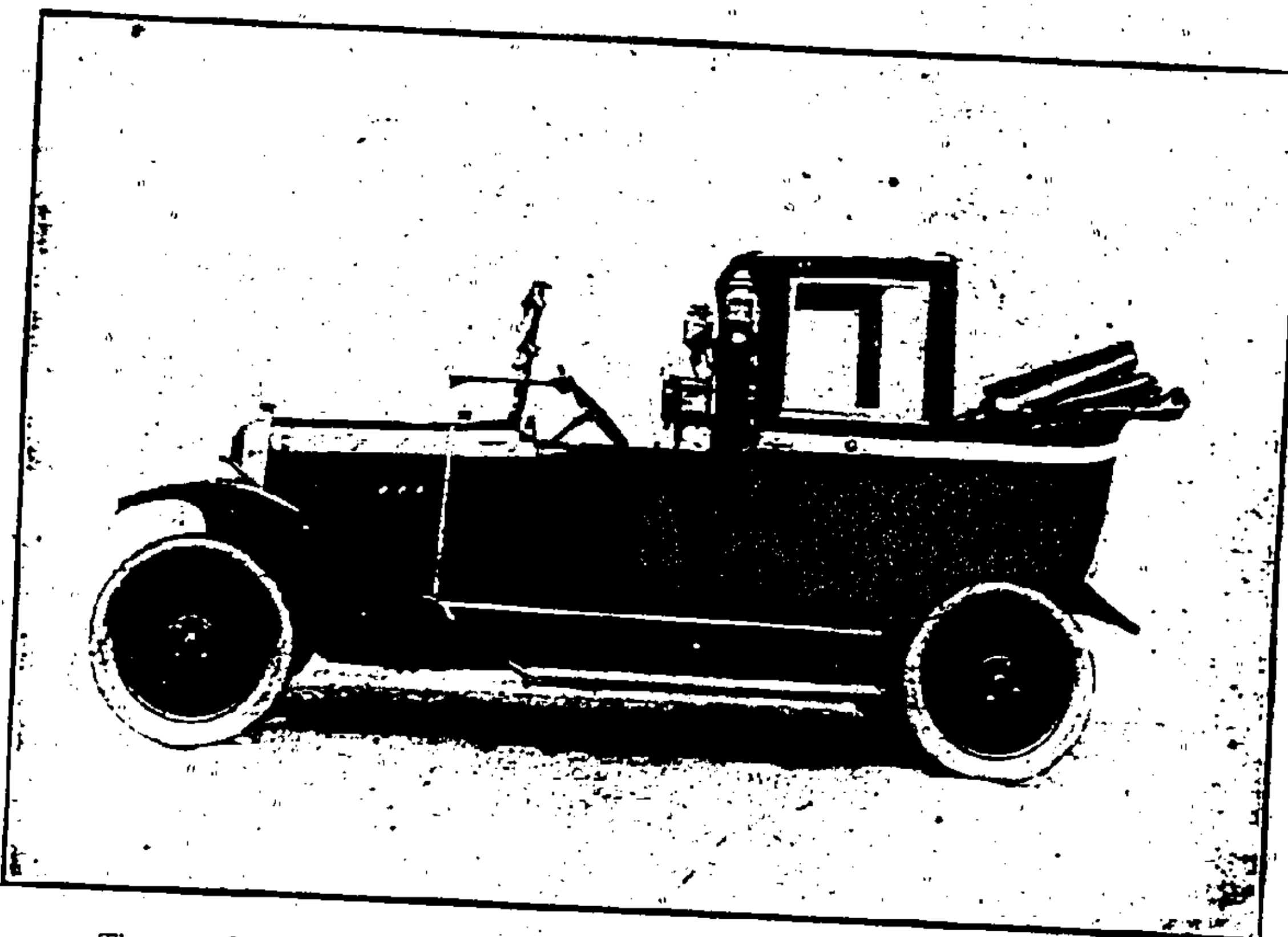


Photo: Nee Cheung.

Hongkong P.W.D. staff photographed on the occasion of the retirement of Hon. Mr. T. L. Perkins.



T. Honda, F.M.S. tennis champion, now transferred to Hongkong.



The new Citroen limousine taxi which is soon to be introduced into the Colony by the Hongkong and Kowloon Taxicab Co.



Photo: Ming Yuen.

The closing shoot of the Taikoo Rifle Club.

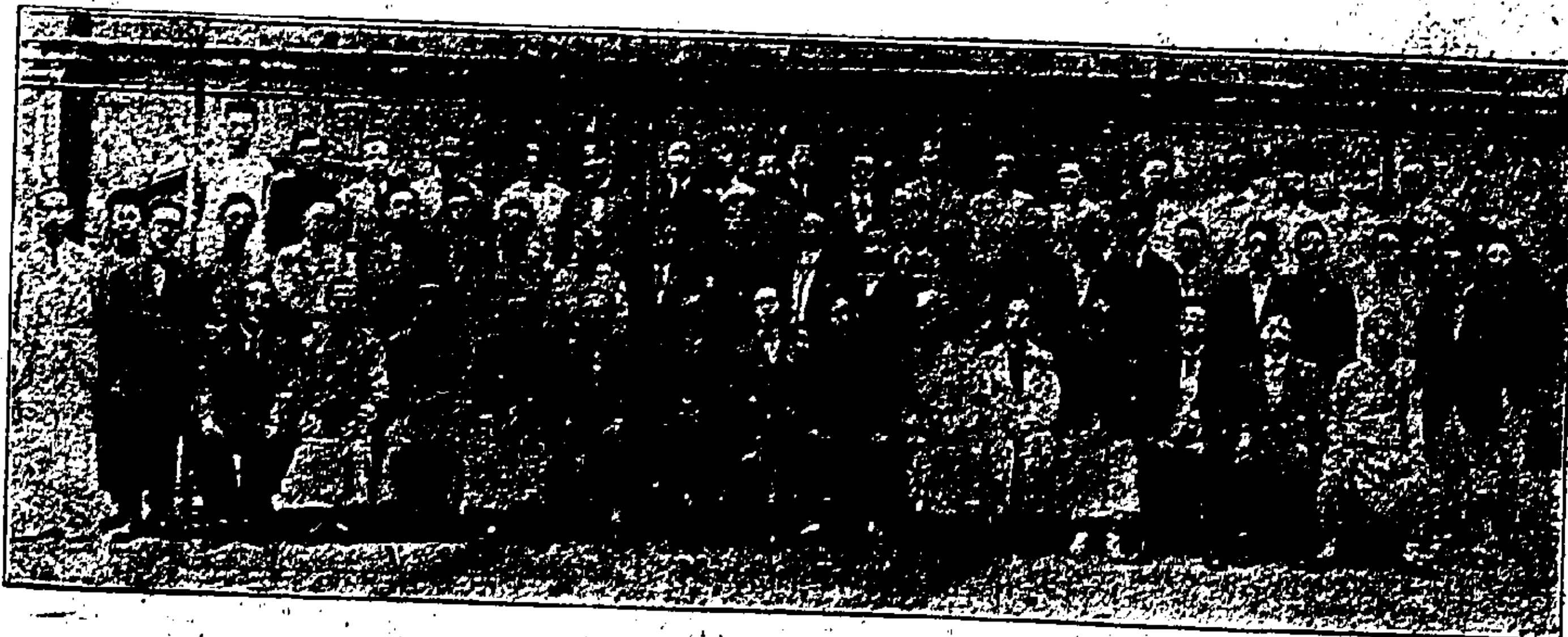


General Chan King-ming, whose former troops are now fighting just across the border.



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Mr. G. T. Edkins presenting prizes at the Taikoo Rifle Club shoot. Beside him is Mr. C. H. Summers, winner of the John Swire Cup, seen on the table.



Y.M.C.A. reception committee on the occasion of the recent visit of Dr. C.H. Wang, ex-Premier of China (marked with X).



## COUNTESS SUPPORTS LABOUR PARTY.

Hopes Labourites Will Soon Rule.



One of Britain's most interesting titled personages is the Countess of Warwick. Strange as it may seem, she is an ardent supporter of the Labour Party whose leaders preach nationalization of land, mines and railways, and a capital levy upon big fortunes in order to wipe out war debts.

To help the party, she has offered her splendid home "Easton Lodge," in Sussex, as a place where the parliamentary leaders of the Labourites may spend week-ends to recuperate and confer.

The granddaughter of Viscount Maynard, she is the wife of the Earl of Warwick, who holds some of the oldest and proudest of British titles of nobility. He is the owner of the famous Warwick Castle. The Countess owns 23,000 acres of land in her own name.

An interviewer writes that he was curious to learn at first hand why a woman who by birth and wealth belonged to the most exclusive of British aristocracy, had become an active member of the party whose rank and file is made up of the British toilers.

She replied quite simply and unaffectedly:

COUNTESS OF WARWICK, AND A WING OF HER "EASTON LODGE" WHICH SHE HAS TURNED OVER TO BRITISH LABOUR LEADERS FOR WEEK-ENDS.

"I have belonged to the Labour Party for as many years as it has existed, so that the discovery of my views is hardly new. I am glad to be working with those who are treating with serious consideration and more adequate grappling the pressing problems of our time. With such a combination of talent and earnestness they have shamed other political parties.

"Those who have direct knowledge of the sufferings, mental, moral and physical, to which millions of our fellow countrymen are subjected in our present social and industrial condition, are holding out welcoming hands to this great Labour movement which will assuredly make for the spiritual and economic emancipation of the people. Thus we are working, and trust that ere long the government will be in these able hands."

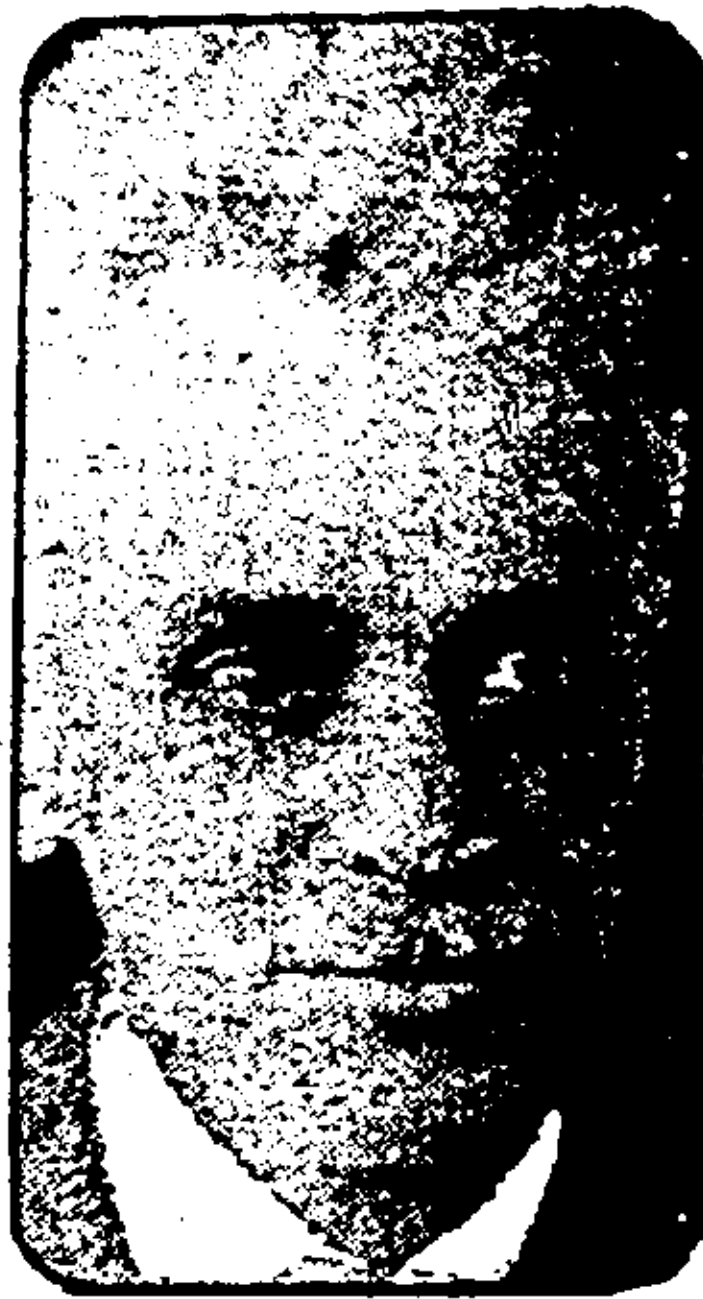
## RADIO A NECESSITY.

Like the Telephone, May Be in Every Home.

Radio promises soon to become a necessity in every home, writes Mr. Hiram Percy Maxim, President of the American Radio Relay League.

Although the science is still in its cradle, its growth has been so tremendous that in five more years, it has been predicted, there will be at least 1,000,000 sets in the States strong enough to receive messages from Europe, South America and even the Orient. Then, like the telephone, it will be an essential part of every home.

This is seen in the fact that already it is playing an important part in transcontinental and trans-oceanic communication. Messages and week-end letters are being flashed through the air night and day in almost illimitable numbers, and this traffic is increasing so fast that large radio concerns have had difficulty keeping up with it.



HIRAM PERCY MAXIM.

Long distance communication direct from every home is within sight. Just like the telephone at its birth, radio telephony is still beyond the circle of necessity. But, like the line telephone, its increased use will bring it within this circle—and this in a short time.

Besides, radio promises to establish musical entertainment as a necessity. Its use in every home would do this. Just as other forms of education, formerly believed to be luxuries only for those who could afford to pay for them, are now commonly accepted necessities if not actual requirements of society, so may radio add music to the list of necessities.

The place where the receiving set is already a necessity is the farm. Now, with one of these sets tuned to a large central broadcasting station, the farmer gets fast information about the weather, about crop movements and prices and about all other matters on which his existence depends. He is brought closer to the city. His evenings, heretofore dreary and uninteresting, are made cheerful and profitable through the radio set. He finds he can keep the farmhand down on the farm. The girls have less desire to see the big city. And a happier, more prosperous agricultural population is the result.

Out at sea, radio is not only a necessity but it is required by law. That's to protect the lives of passengers and crews on ships.

By the same token, radio sets on every train in the country can be imagined—not only as an entertainment but as an actual requirement by law. Many an accident could be prevented by such installation, and it would repay the railroad companies in a short time.

It is interesting to note, in connection with the stranding of the s.s. Kumsang near Tambobo Point, P. I., recently, that a wireless message sent out by the steamer Atlanta City (which went to the assistance of the Kumsang) was first picked up at Manila by a resident working a private radio apparatus.

The largest single radio transmitter in the world is said to be the one built by the United States Navy Department at Bordeaux, France. It has a capacity of 1200 kilowatts. It sends on a wave length of 23,400 meters and can be easily heard in the United States.

Fog has some effect on radio communication, but exactly what it is has not yet been discovered. So a British aviator has undertaken to fly an aeroplane through foggy atmosphere and try to signal to land stations at the same time. Records will be made for future study.

A London inventor has devised an apparatus by which an aviator may be able to send any of 62 different messages to a land station by simply pulling a lever. Each of 62 combinations has a meaning of its own, and all the pilot has to do is to touch the lever for the message he wants to send and the flash is off.

The world will soon be able to prepare for oncoming weather 10 days ahead. This, through the enterprising work of Hagbard Ekerold, engineer and explorer, of Bergen, Norway, who has had a weather bureau equipped with radio in the arctic region. His project is to erect observation posts in the arctic circle, equip them with broadcasting apparatus and from these flash weather warnings to the rest of the world. By this system, says Ekerold, ship captains will know days in advance where and when to expect storms and icebergs, farmers will be able to protect their stock and crops, and other persons, dependent in any way on the weather, will be fully prepared for unfavourable conditions. This information will be of value especially to points north of the equator because, says Ekerold, most of the stormy weather originates around the north pole.

Germany is sending radio apparatus into the American market. One of the German importations is a 26-inch collapsible loop antenna.

Nearly 5,000,000 words were transmitted by radio through the U.S. Naval Communication Service during the first quarter of this year. Last year this service handled nearly 15,000,000 words for the government through its coast stations. Sixteen different government departments used this service.

Marconi's invention of a wireless lighthouse has at last been put into practice. Besides a light, the lighthouse at Inchkeith Island, Firth of Forth, is equipped

## TWENTY-TWO YEARS AGO.

A Glance at Our Files.

(May 11—May 16, 1901.)

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We were informed yesterday that the Capital of Messrs. W. Powell & Co., Limited, has been fully subscribed, and that allotment letters will be sent out immediately—5,000 shares, that is \$50,000, had already been privately subscribed before the invitation to the general public was issued. An experienced manager is expected from London, and the business is to be developed to the fullest extent, in view of which, we understand, more suitable premises will be obtained in a better situation when the lease of the present premises falls in.

## LAWN TENNIS.

On Saturday afternoon the following ties in the lawn tennis tournaments of the Hongkong Cricket Club were played off—Singles "A" Class—P. A. Cox, owes 1/6, beat E. G. Barnett, owes 4/6 (7-5, 6-3); Doubles Handicap—E. J. Grist and T. S. Smith, owe 15-1, beat F. H. Yeats and E. G. Barnett, owe 2/6 (6-4, 5-7, 6-2, 6-3). Later results were: Final Tie "A" Class Handicap—P. A. Cox, owes 1/6, beat A. Humphreys, owes 3/6 (6-2, 6-6, 6-2, 6-4); Final Tie "B" Class Handicap—F. X. De Castro, rec. 15-3, beat C. M. Durnett, scratch (6-0, 7-5, 6-3).

## THE LOAD LINE.

We would suggest that an examination be made of the load line of every Chinese owned vessel entering the Harbour. We want to see an example made both in the interests of justice and in the interests of the travelling public, and the honest shipowners whom we represent. There is far too much of the "dear me, I really can't be bothered attitude" about some of our Government Departments, and the sooner that some of these well-paid and under-worked gentlemen wake up to a sense of their responsibilities, the better for all parties concerned. Besides, if there is a law forbidding a ship to leave the port too deeply laden, it necessarily follows that somebody is responsible for seeing that such law is enforced. If the person responsible fails to do his duty and loss of life occurs, then we say he is guilty of culpable negligence almost amounting to murder.

## SALE OF HORSES.

Long prices were not the order of the day at sale of horses held by Mr. Hough this afternoon. Hoodoo fetched \$190 and a bay mare \$260 while other prices ranged between that and \$30. The horses were a good looking lot but bidding was weak.

## PUBLIC BATHS.

At to-day's meeting of the Sanitary Board the following minute by H.E. the Governor was laid on the table—"I am satisfied that among possible precautions to disease, baths are of great and pressing importance. I have directed the Ag. D. P. W. to erect matched public baths in various parts of the City and think they are equally necessary at Hungnam and Yaumati. Here the people should have an opportunity of washing themselves with hot water. Request the D. P. W. to give an estimate that a Financial Minute may be prepared. I have no doubt that the Finance Committee will approve, but the matter is pressing. Send to the Sanitary Board for their information."

with one of the Italian inventor's semi-circular wireless wave transmitters, by which vessels nearing the island may detect its presence from any angle.

Only American aircraft that carry 10 or more persons at present are forced to include a radio transmitting and receiving set. But the International Commission for Aerial Navigation has agreed to adopt this rule for all aircraft.

Radio transmission has been brought down to a wave length of 100 meters for practical purposes. One important broadcaster in the States is experimenting with intention of using this low wave length for sets tuned especially for such reception.

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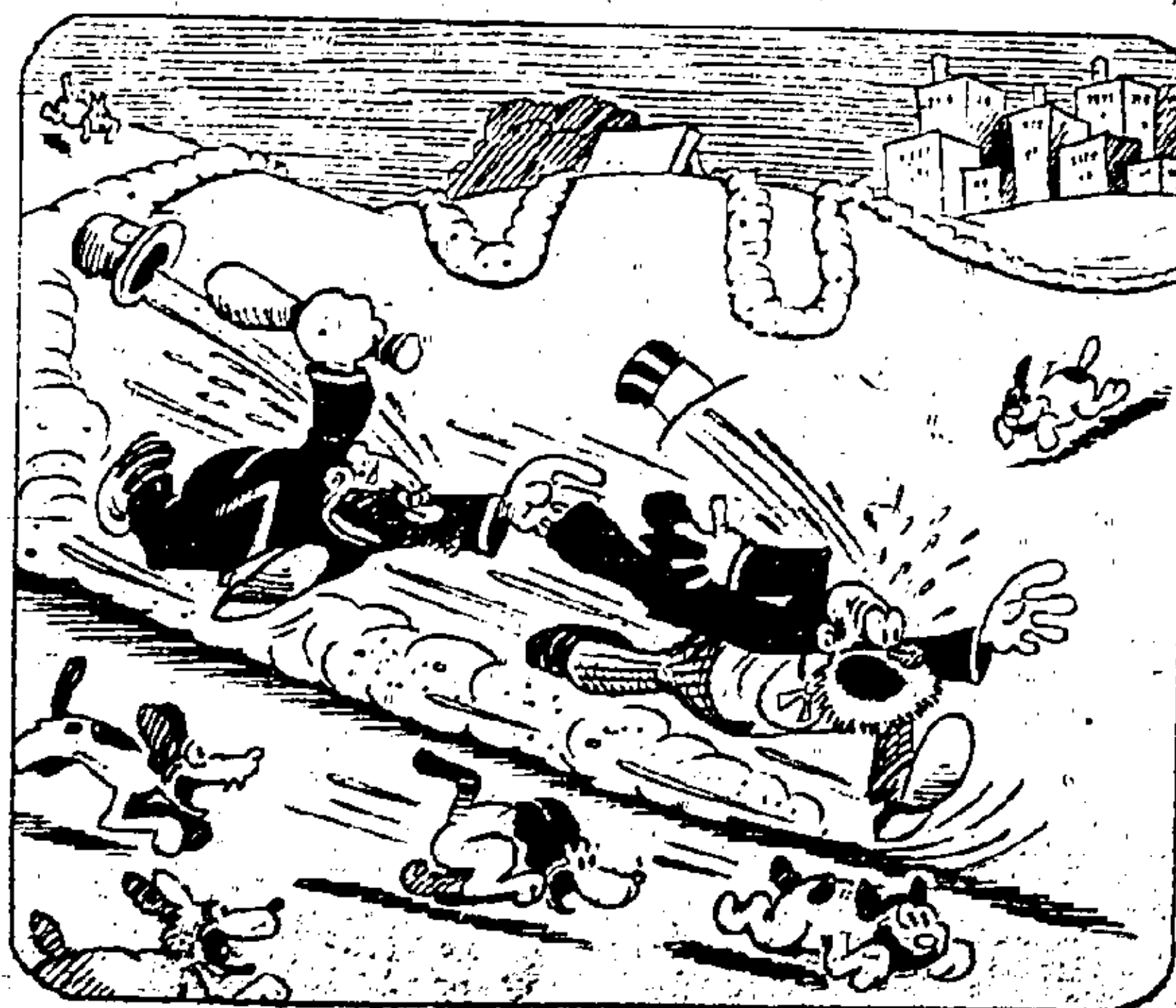
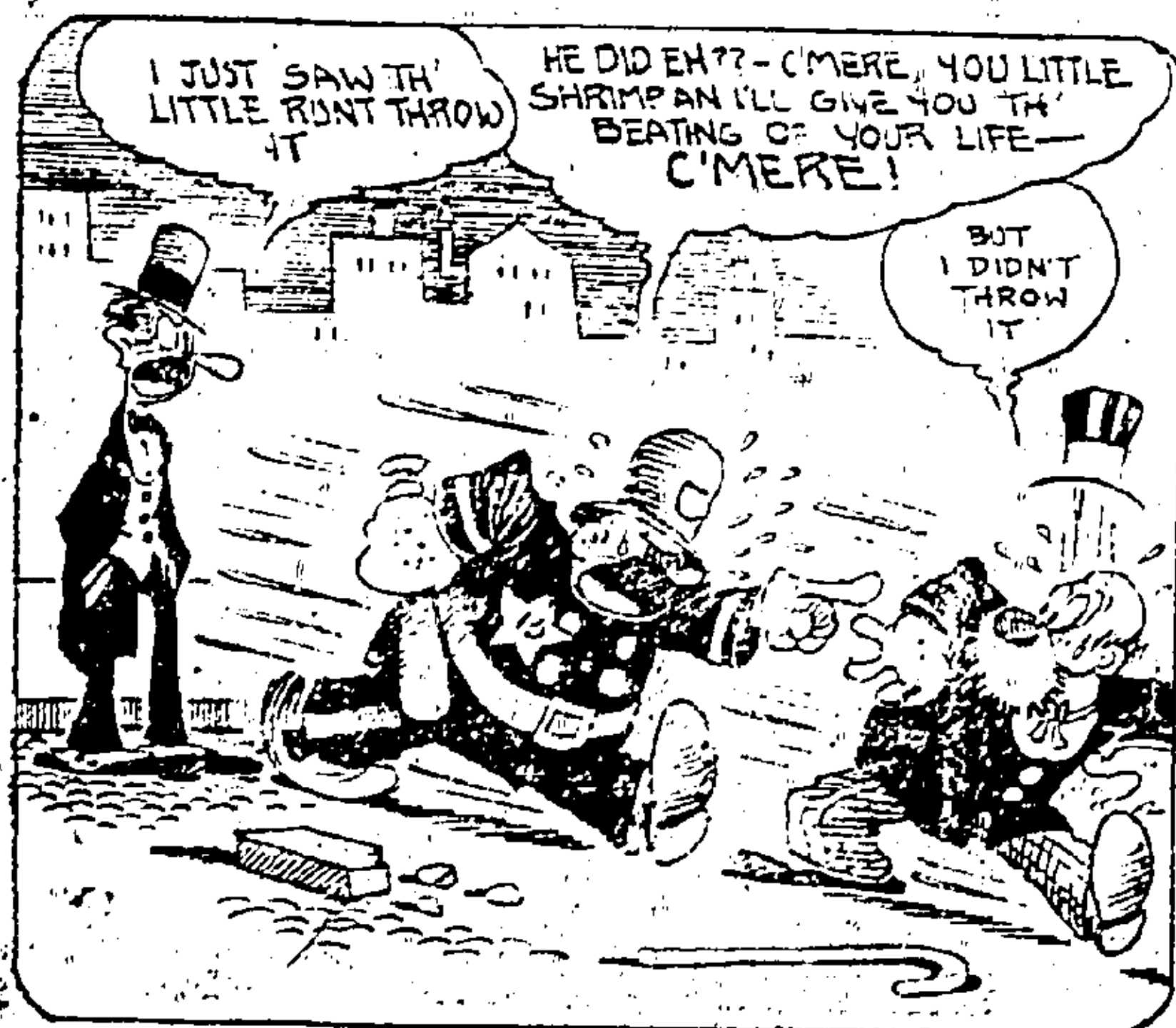
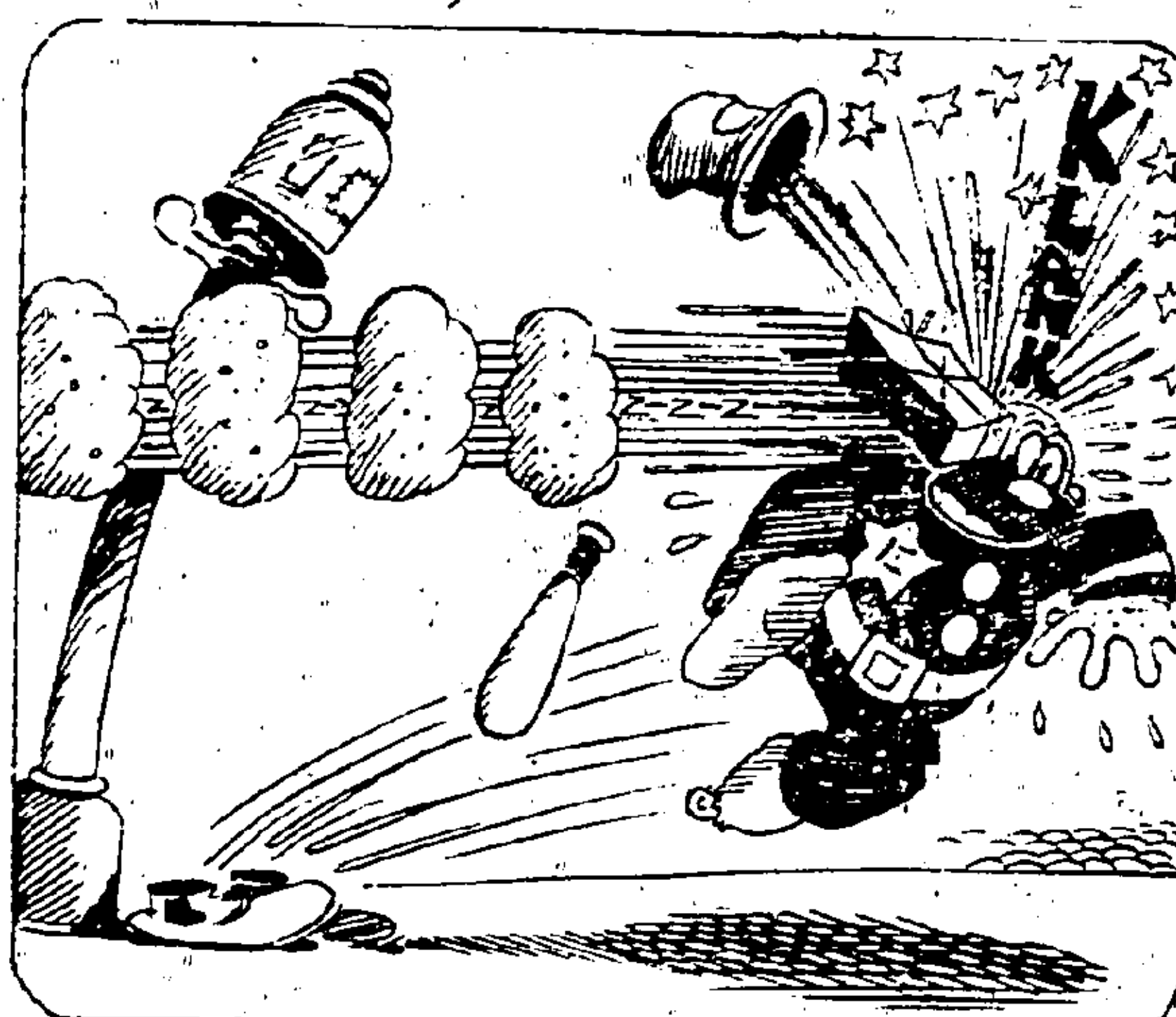
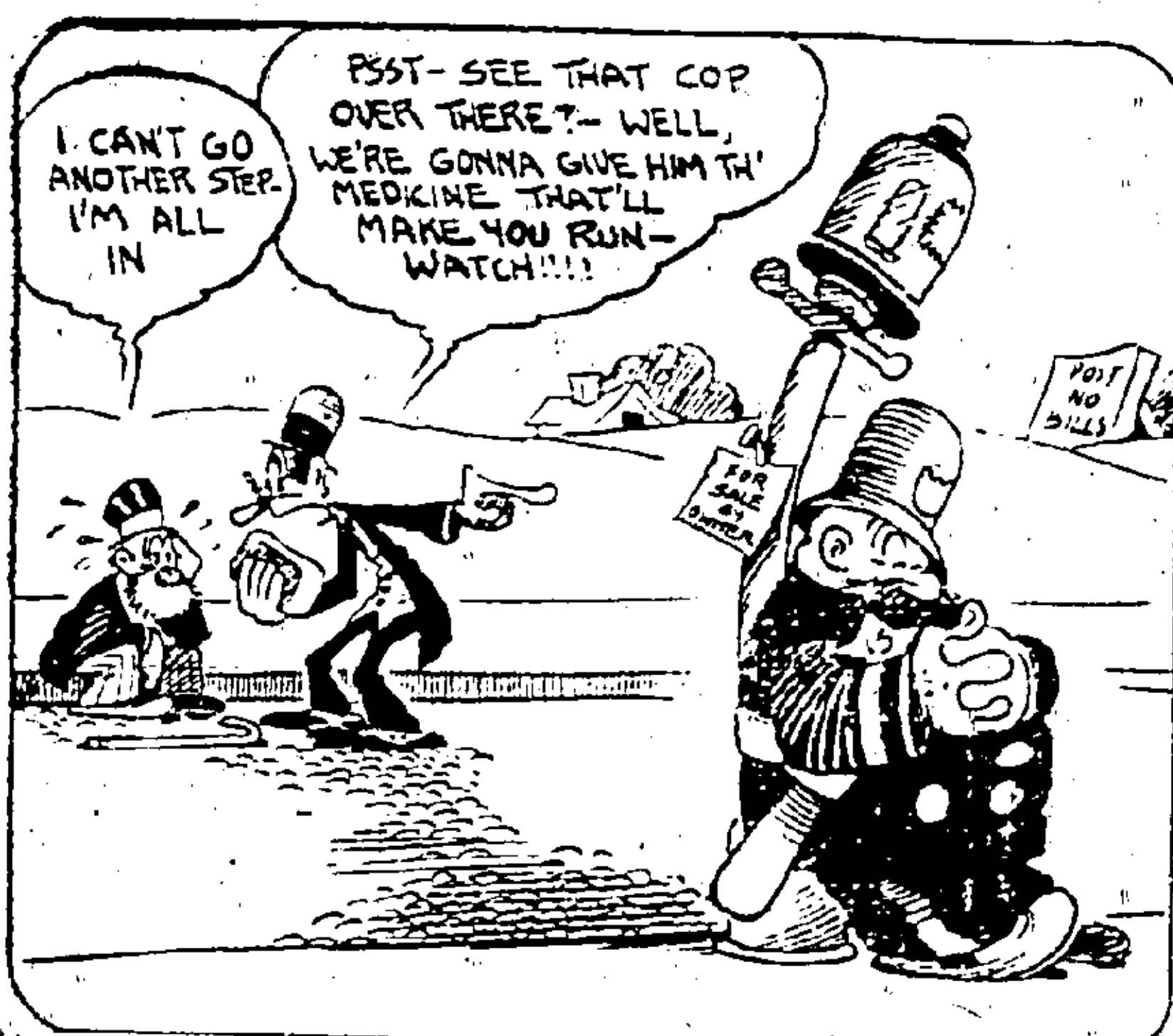
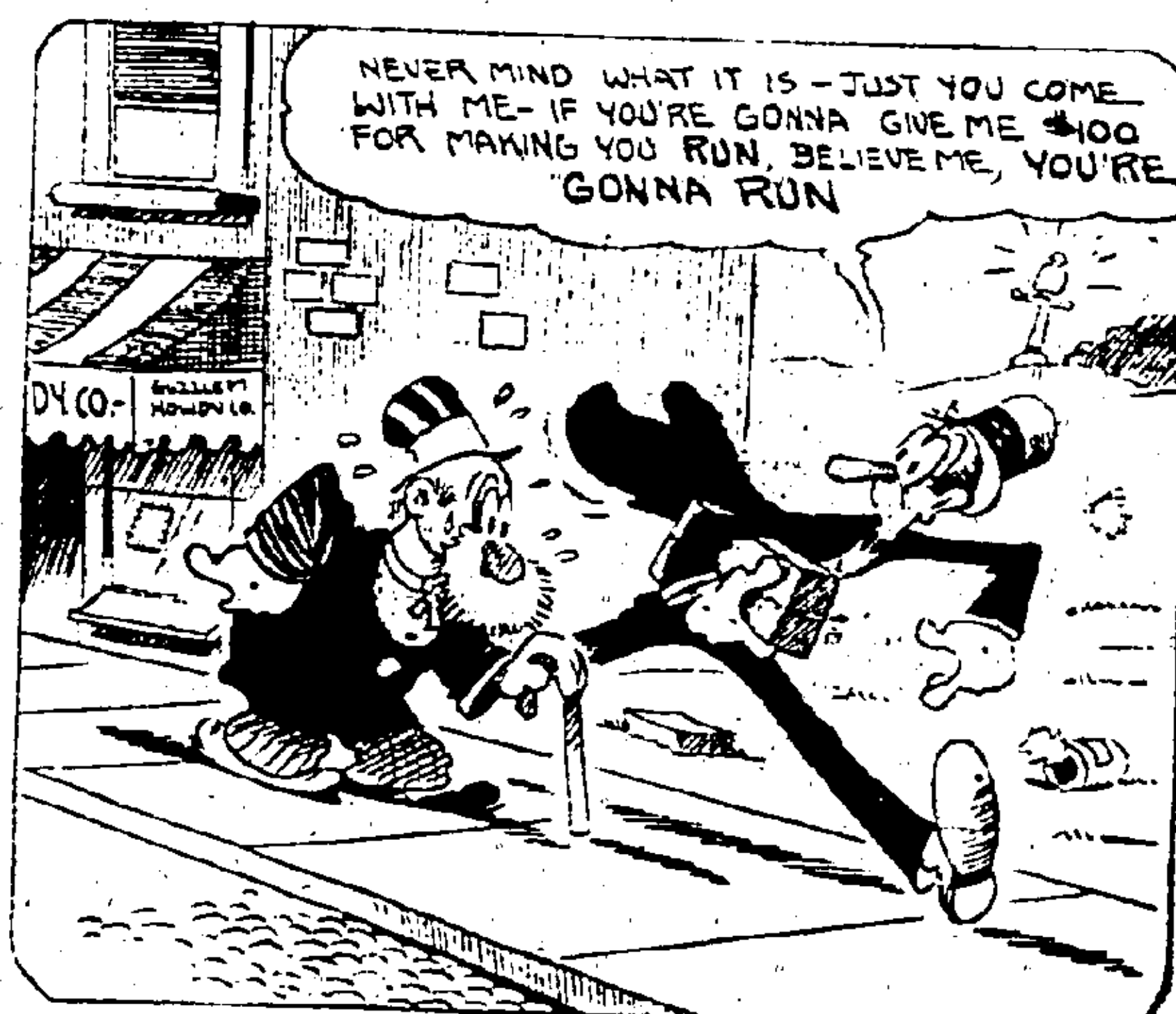
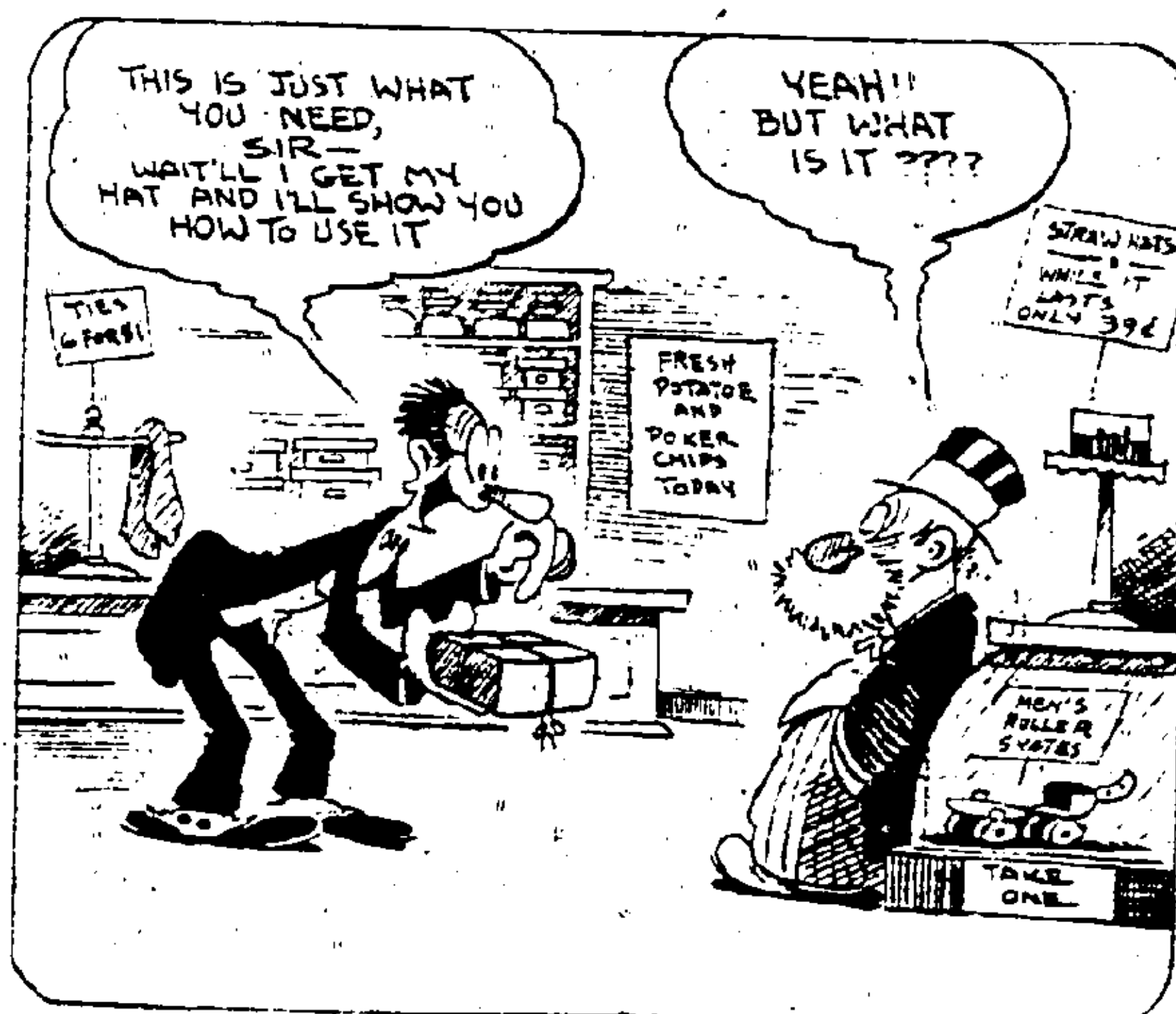
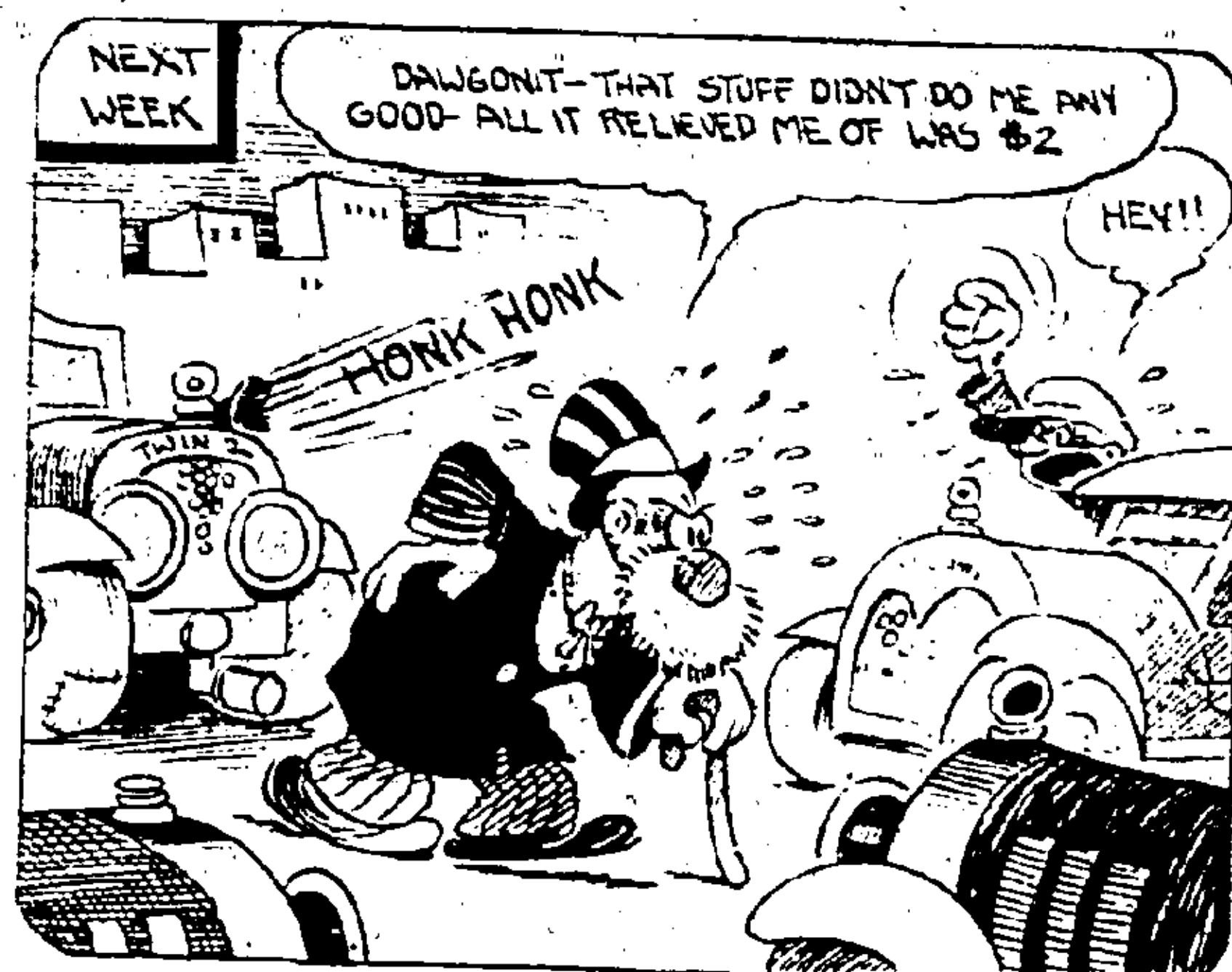
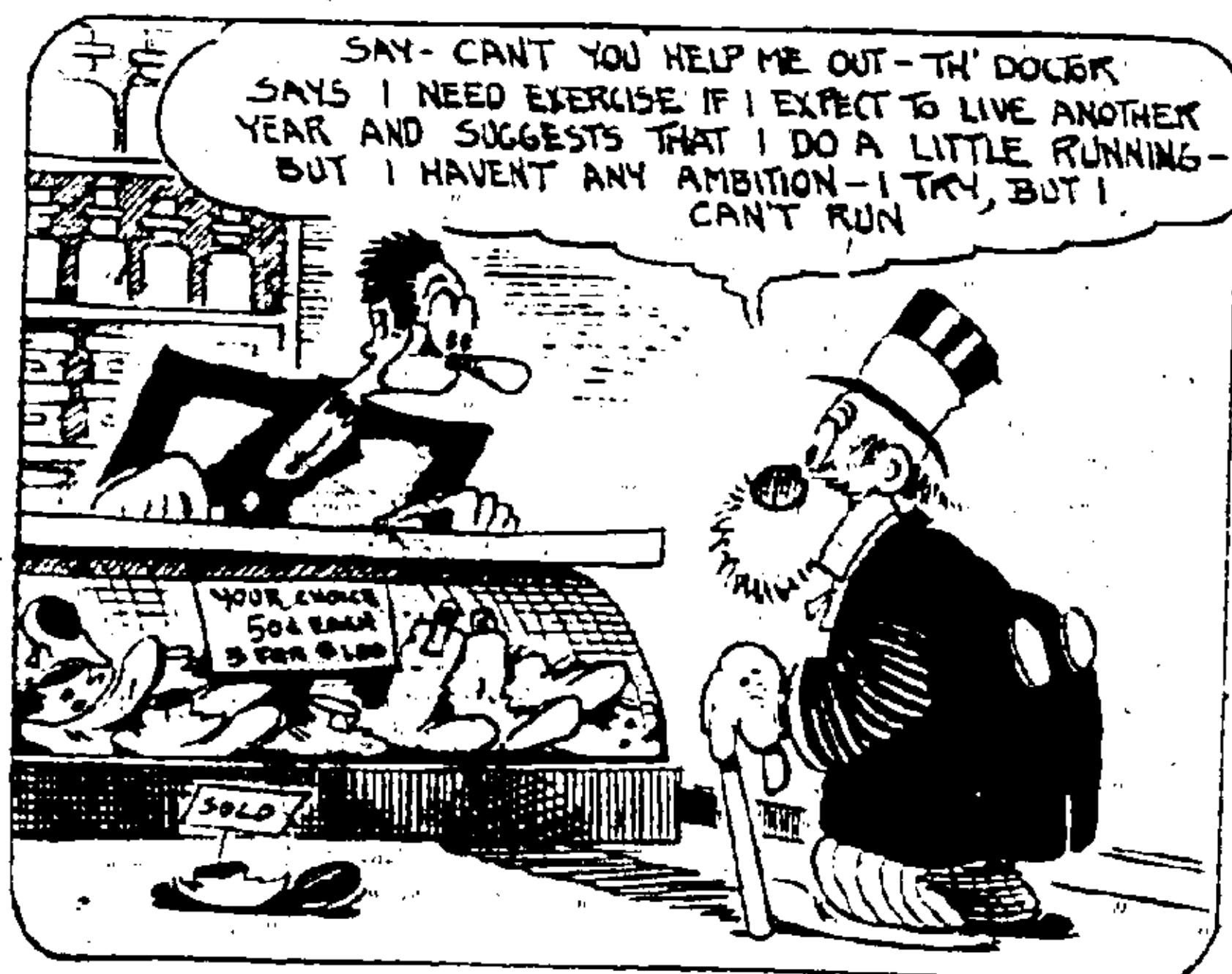
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Optional cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and noon within the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th May will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 7th June, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

18th, May, 1923.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

## S.S. "HAYO MARU."

Voy. 6 West.

From JAPAN PORTS & DAIRAN

The above named Steamer having arrived on Thursday, 17th May, 1923, consignees of cargo

are hereby notified to present their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery from alongside steamer or the Company's Godown, where all cargo impeding immediate discharge will be landed at consignees' risk.

Storage will be assessed on cargo remaining undelivered after Thursday, 24th May, 1923. All broken, chafed and damaged packages will be landed into the Company's Godown where same will be examined on Thursday, 24th May, 1923, at 11 a.m.

No claims will be recognised after the goods have left the steamer or Godown, and none will be entertained if presented later than three weeks after arrival of steamer.

No Fire insurance whatever will be effected.

Y. TSUTSUMI,

Manager.



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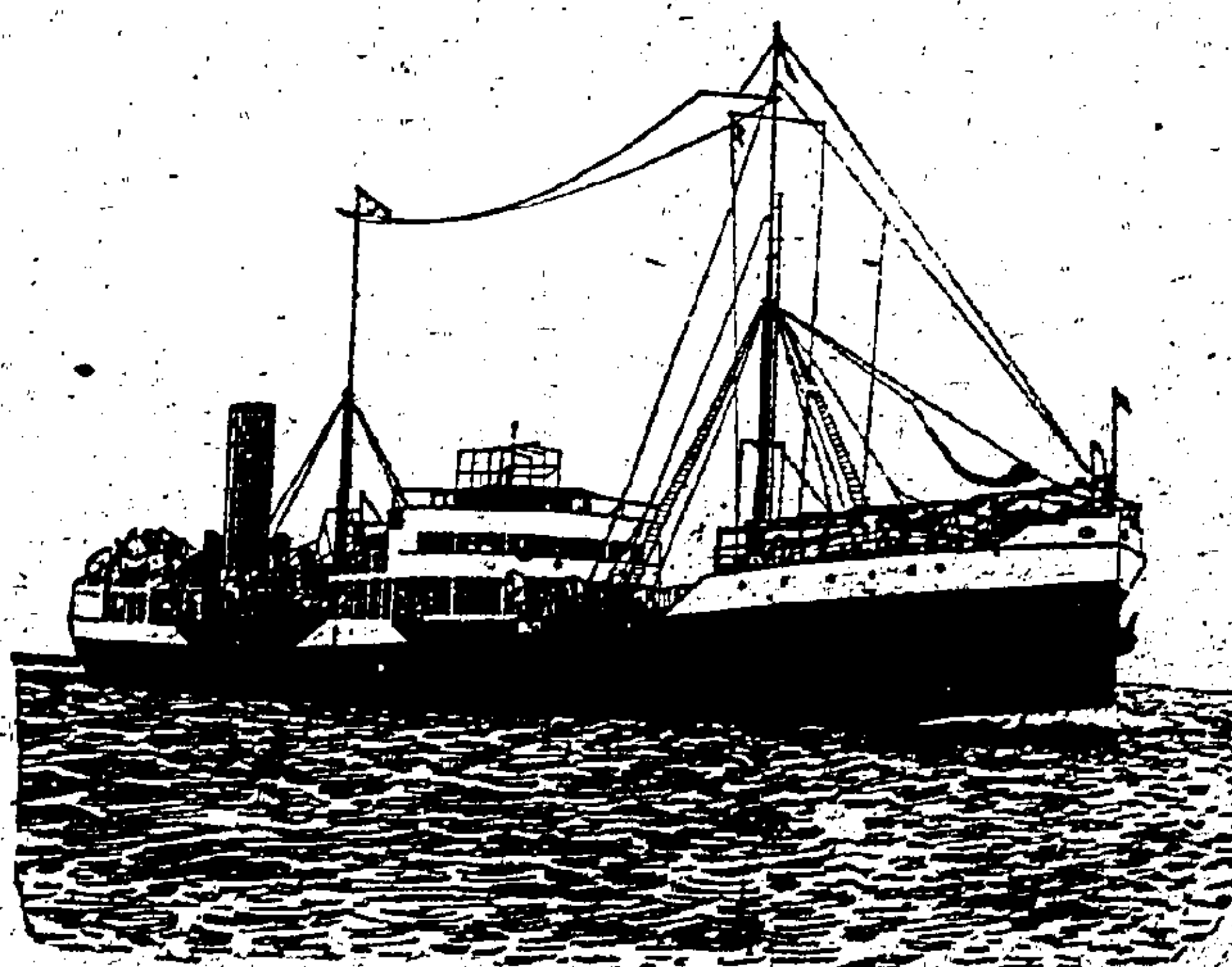
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ALIFORE	5,273	29 May noon	S'pore, Penang & Bombay
NYANZA	7,000	30 May 10 a.m.	M'les, London & Antwerp
LAHORE	5,252	4th June	S'pore, Colombo & Bombay
SOUDAN	6,700	6th June	S'pore, P'ang, C'bo & R'bay

## BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)

JANUS	4,824	13th June	C'ita, via S'pore, Penang.
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## EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)

EASTERN	4,600	2nd June	Manila, S'kan, Thursday Is, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney & Melbourne.
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CHAKRATA	5,682	20 May daylight	Moji & Kobe
DELTA	8,097	20 May 10 a.m.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama
SOUDAN	6,700	22nd May	Shanghai only
JANUS	4,824	23rd May	Japan
DEVANHA	8,092	3rd June	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.

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Steamer	From	Expected on at about	Will leave on at about	To
Tjilondari	N. China	In port	21st May	Batavia, Batavia
Tjilong	Javan	20th May	24th May	M'les, S'hai
Tjilalak	U. States	24th May	28th May	Banka, B. Java
Tjikembang	Java	25th May	28th May	S'hai & Dalm
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Steamer	Dep. Hongkong	Steamer	Leaves Hongkong
GLENBARRY	18th May	GLENARIFFE	25th May
GLENARA	4th June	GLENAMOEY	1st June
GLENIFFER	18th June	GLENAMOEY	1st June
CANARVONSHIRE	2nd July	GLENAPP	21st June

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AMBOISE	—	—	28th May
CORDILLERE	—	—	11th June
ANGERS	20th Apr.	22nd May	25th June
CHILI	4th May	5th June	9th July
PORTHOS	18th May	13th June	23rd July
ANGOR	1st June	3rd July	6th Aug.

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 KITANO MARU ... Wednesday, 23rd May.  
 HARUNA MARU ... Wednesday, 6th June.  
 HAMBURG via LONDON & ROTTERDAM.

DAKAR MARU ... 1st half June.

LIVERPOOL via MARSEILLES &amp; VALENCIA.

TATSUNO MARU ... 2nd half June.

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AKI MARU ... Saturday, 26th May.

TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 30th June.

NEW YORK and/or BOSTON VIA PANAMA.

MAYEASHI MARU ... Saturday, 2nd June.

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KAWACHI MARU ... Middle June.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang &amp; Colombo.

WAKASA MARU ... Sunday, 27th May.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang &amp; Rangoon.

PENANG MARU ... Monday, 21st May.

RANGOON MARU ... Thursday, 31st May.

NAGASAKI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

YOSHINO MARU ... Thursday, 14th June.

SHANGHAI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

AWA MARU ... Sunday, 20th May.

KEIFUKU MARU ... Sunday, 20th May.

KATORI MARU ... Tuesday, 22nd May.

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Destination	Steamer	Sailing
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SHANGHAI via Swatow Tungshing	Sun.	20th May at 10 a.m.
BANGKOK via Hoihow Chungsang	Sun.	20th May at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI via Swatow Kwongsang	Mon.	21st May at 10 a.m.
BANGKOK via Swatow Hopsang	Mon.	21st May at noon.
TTAO via Stow & S'hai Fookshing	Tues.	22nd May at noon.
KOBE via Moji Fookshing	Tues.	22nd May at noon.
SANDAKAN	Mingsang Thurs.	24th May at 2 p.m.
HAIPHONG via Hoihow Mingsang	Fri.	25th May at 10 a.m.
SHANGHAI via Swatow Loongsang	Fri.	25th May at noon.
MANILA	Loongsang Fri.	25th May at 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI via Swatow Esang	Sun.	27th May at noon.
STRAITS & Calcutta	Hongsang Wed.	30th May at 3 p.m.
KOBE via Moji	Lalsang Thurs.	31st May at 7 a.m.
STRAITS & Calcutta	Lalsang Fri.	15th June at 3 p.m.

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## CONSIGNEES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

## N. Y. K. LINE

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## "KEIFUKU MARU"

having arrived from the above  
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 Company's Godowns at Kowloon,  
 whence delivery may be obtained.  
 Goods not cleared by the 26th  
 May, 1923, will be subject to  
 rent.

Damaged packages must be left  
 in the Godowns for examination  
 by the Consignees and the Co.'s  
 representatives on any Tuesday  
 and Friday, at 2.30 p.m. within  
 the free storage period.

All claims must be presented  
 within ten days of the steamer's  
 arrival here, after which date they  
 cannot be recognized.

No claim will be admitted after  
 the goods have left the Godowns.  
 No fire insurance has been  
 effected.

**NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.**

Hongkong, 19th. May. 1923.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

## ADMIRAL ORIENTAL LINE.

The Steamship

## "ELKTON"

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 ed cargo is to be left in the  
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 by the Company's Surveyor's  
 Messrs. Anderson & Asho.

All claims must be presented  
 within thirty days of the steam-  
 er's arrival here, after which they  
 cannot be recognized. No claims  
 will be recognised after the  
 goods have left the Godowns, and  
 cargo undelivered on and after  
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Demand, Calcutta	174 1/2
On Yokohama	110 1/2
Demand, Manila	108
Demand, Singapore	99 1/2
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Bar Silver	32 1/2
forward	32 1/2
Bank of England rate	3 1/2
New York/London	4.62

## BUYING

4 m/s. L/C.	2/4.15/16
4 m/s. D/P.	2/4.15/16
6 m/s. L/C.	2/5
30 d/s. Sydney and Melbourne	2/5 1/2

## SUBSIDIARY COINS.

Hongkong 10 cent pieces @	1 1/2 p.p.
India 10 " "	1 1/2 p.p.
Canton sub. coins @	1 1/2 p.p.
Hongkong May 19, 1923.	191.50% dia.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

A CHARGE OF ONE DOLLAR  
IS MADE FOR NOTICES  
UNDER THIS HEADING.

St. John's Cathedral, Hongkong.  
20th May, 1923, Whitsunday.  
Holy Communion (8 a.m.).  
Children's Service (10 a.m.).  
Hymns: 207, 341, 572. Matins  
(11 a.m.). Responses: Festal;  
Venite: Jones (12 morning);  
Psalms: 68 Woodward, Cooke;  
Te Deum: Oakeley (15th even-  
ing); Benedictus: Jacobs (No.  
14); Hymns: 154, 156, 157.  
Holy Communion (12 noon).  
Evangelion (6 p.m.). Responses:  
Festal; Psalm: 104 Old Melody.  
Travers: Magnificat: Barnby;  
Nunc Dimittis: Felton; Hymns:  
215, 153, 207.

Wesleyan Church, Queen's Road  
East, opposite Royal Naval  
Hospital, Wanchai, Sunday,  
20th May, 1923. Whitsunday.  
10.15 a.m. Divine Service and  
Naval and Garrison Church  
Parade. Hymns and Chant, 23.  
Benedictus, 882, 317, 640. Sub-  
ject: "A Song of Praise."  
6.00 p.m. Divine Service.  
Hymns: 223, 267, 422, 235, 925  
and "Vesper." Subject: "Peni-  
tence or Power?" Preacher:  
Rev. C. Clouston, Porti. H. C. F.  
Wesleyan Sailors' and Soldiers'  
Home, Arsenal Street, Hong-  
kong. Sunday, 8.15 p.m. Chap-  
lain's Meeting and Social Hour  
with address and solos.

First Church of Christ, Scientist,  
McDonnell Road, below Bowen  
Road Tram Station.—Sunday,  
11.15 a.m.; Wednesday, 5.45 p.m.

## EXPANSION OF SANDAKAN.

It is now generally recognised  
that Sandakan, British North  
Borneo, will develop largely with-  
in the next few years, and  
preparations are being made to  
meet this future need. Roads,  
up-to-date wharves and storage  
must be provided and large ex-  
penditure has been approved for  
these works. The increasing  
activity of the port has led to the  
consideration of more facilities  
for shipping, and a report on the  
harbour and wharves has been  
made by a representative of a  
well-known firm.

## POST OFFICE NOTICES.

On Whit Monday, the 21st inst., and Empire day the 24th inst., the G.P.O. and  
the Branch Post Offices will be open as follows:—The G.P.O. and Kowloon Branch  
Office from 8 to 9 a.m. only. Wanchai, Saiyungpan and Yauwiti Branches from 8 to  
9 a.m. and from 5 to 6 p.m. Sheungwan Branch Office from 8 to 9 a.m. and from  
5 to 6 p.m. The Minor Office will be entirely closed during the holidays.  
There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary cor-  
respondence each day as on Sunday and one delivery of registered correspondence  
at 9 a.m. on Whit Monday. There will be one delivery from the Branch Offices  
each day at noon.

## INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Manila	Pres. Madison	20th May
India, U.S.A., Japan & Shanghai	Empire of Canada	21st
Manila	President Taft	21st
Manila	Katori M.	21st
Manila	Nanning	21st
Manila	Janus	21st
U.S.A., Japan & Shanghai	Pres. McKinley	21st
Japan	Aki M.	21st

## OUTWARD MAIL.

For	Per	Due
Bangkok	Ryssel M.	21st inst. 9 a.m.
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Bangkok via Swatow	Kwangchow	Tues. 22 inst. 10.20 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Fochow	Hailong	Tues. 22 inst. 11 a.m.
Shanghai & Japan	Katori M.	Tues. 22 inst. 11 a.m.
Manila	Nanning	Tues. 22 inst. 11 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., C & South America & Europe via San Francisco	Pres. Taft	Tues. 22 inst. 11 a.m.

Straits, Ceylon, Mauritius, L. Marques, S. Africa, India via Dharmabedi, Egypt, & Europe via Marseilles	Kitano M.	Wed. 23 inst. 8.45 a.m.
Manila, *Shanghai *Japan, Honolulu, *Canada, *U.S.A., *C & *South America & Europe via S. Francisco	Tenyo M.	Wed. 23 inst. 8.45 a.m.

Swatow, Amoy & Takao	Szebu M.	Wed. 23 inst. 5 p.m.
Straits	Van Overstraten	Tues. 22 inst. 9 a.m.
Sandakan	Hingong	Tues. 22 inst. 9 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Fochow	Hingong	Tues. 22 inst. 9 a.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Fri. 25 inst. 3.30 p.m.

Philippine Is., Australia & New Zealand via Thursday Is.	Aki M.	Sat. 26 inst. 8.45 a.m.
Cebu	Achilles	Sat. 26 inst. 5 p.m.

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\*Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.

## ENTERTAINMENTS.

## THE CORONET

TO-NIGHT

at 8.30 5.15, 7.15 9.15

CONSTANCE  
TALMADGE

in  
LESSONS IN LOVE

## THE STAR

TO-NIGHT

at 5.30 & 9.15

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SPORTING  
DUCHLSS



Thursday to Saturday (17th to 19th May)  
at 5.15 & 9.15 p.m.

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